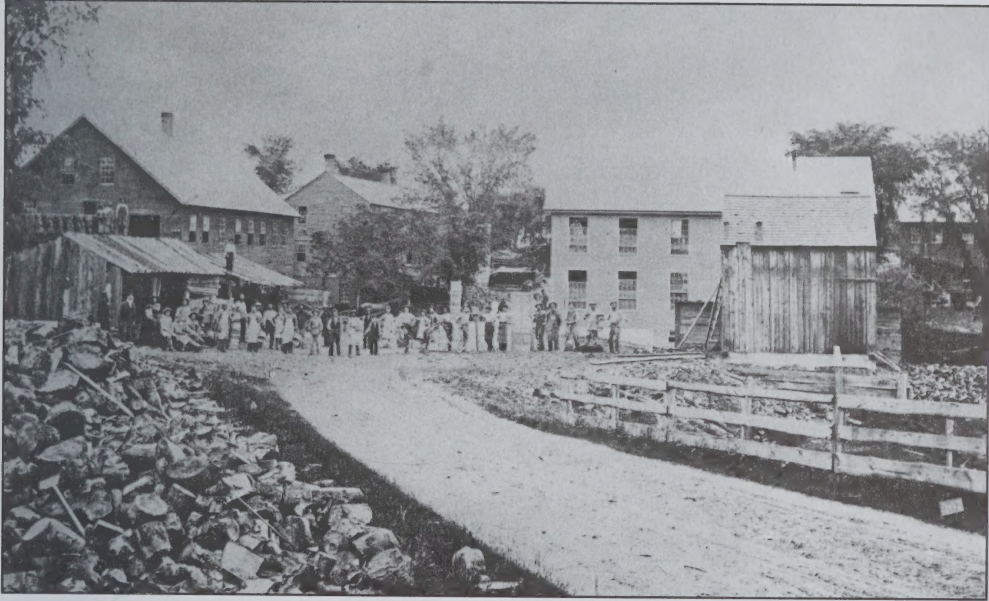


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**SWANZEY
NEW HAMPSHIRE**

OFFICE HOURS AND REGULAR MEETINGS

TOWN HALL

Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Land Use Boards,
Assessing, General Assistance, Sewer Commission, Town Administrator

Weekdays 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM except Holidays

Town Hall Telephone Number 603-352-7411

NH Relay TDD 1-800-735-2964

FAX 603-352-6250

www.town.swanzey.nh.us

SELECTMEN

Wednesday evenings 6:00 PM

Deborah J. Davis

357-4435 (Home)

Bruce L. Tatro

352-3904 (Home)

Nancy L. Carlson

352-3768 (Home)

PLANNING BOARD

1st and 3rd Thursday of each month, 7:00 PM

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

3rd Monday of each month, 7:00 PM

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

2nd Tuesday of each month, 7:00 PM

SEWER COMMISSIONERS

1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month, 7:00 PM

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICE

Tuesdays & Thursdays 9 am to noon

Wednesday evenings, 7:00-8:30 PM

or by appointment

PUBLIC SAFETY

TO REPORT AN EMERGENCY

Police, Fire, Ambulance

9-1-1

Police Administration

352-2869

Fire Administration

358-6455

Burning permits may be obtained by calling one of the fire wardens listed below:

Lee Dunham, Warden 352-4184

Bruce Tatro, Deputy

352-3904

Gerry Bell, Deputy 352-1989

Sylvester Karasinski, Deputy 358-5168

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS**

**SWANZEY
NEW HAMPSHIRE**

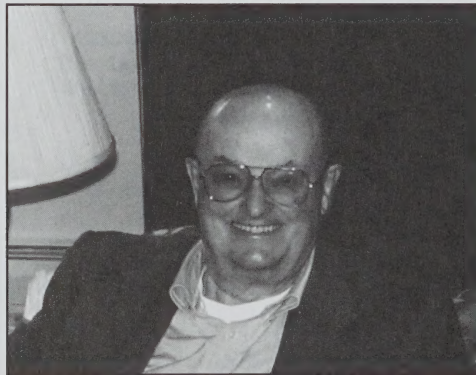
For the year ending December 31, 2006

The 2006 Town Report is dedicated to

**Richard L. Lane and
Robert A. Beauregard**



Richard L. Lane
Selectman, Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment and
Airport Advisory Commission member



Robert A. Beauregard
Selectman, Capital Improvements Program Committee member and
County Commissioner

Photo of Mr. Lane provided by the Keene Sentinel and his family.

Photo of Mr. Beauregard provided by his family.

In Memoriam

**The 2006 Town Report is dedicated to the
memory of Henry, Morgan and Bobby who
collectively served our town as members of the
Fire Department for 138 years.**

Henry Johnson

Firefighter, Forest Fire Warden, Fire Chief
1913 – 2006

Morgan Wright

Firefighter, Deputy Forest Fire Warden, Fire
Engineer, Assistant Fire Chief, Cemetery
Supervisor
1933 – 2006

Robert LaBelle

Firefighter, Deputy Forest Fire Warden, Fire
Captain and Lieutenant
1946 – 2006

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OFFICIALS OF
SWANZEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE FOR THE YEAR
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2006**

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Elm House Hotel, 1900

**2006 TOWN OFFICIALS
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS**

ELECTED OFFICIALS

MODERATOR

Alfred C. Lerandeanu

Term expires 2008

SELECTMEN

Deborah J. Davis, Chair

Term expires 2007

Nancy L. Carlson

Term expires 2007

Bruce L. Tatro

Term expires 2009

TOWN CLERK

Deirdre A. Geer

Term expires 2009

TREASURER

Roger W. Conway

Term expires 2007

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Lynda Faulkner

Term expires 2010

Eileen Thompson

Term expires 2008

Ruth Snyder

Term expires 2012

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Paul Nikiforakis

Term expires 2007

Jane Fortson

Term expires 2007

Frederic Peters

Term expires 2009

SEWER COMMISSIONERS

Glenn W. Page, Chair

Term expires 2008

Larry Crowder

Term expires 2007

William Snyder

Term expires 2009

OLD HOME DAY COMMITTEE

Carol Roof

Term expires 2007

William Carson

Term expires 2008

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

William Hutwelker, Chair

Term expires 2007

Charles Beauregard, Sr., Vice-Chair

Term expires 2008

Robert Mitchell

Term expires 2008

Keith Thibault

Term expires 2009

Jennifer Gregory

Term expires 2009

Martin Geheran, alternate

Term expires 2007

Robert DeRocher, alternate

Term expires 2009

Don Simeneau, alternate

Term expires 2008

PLANNING BOARD

Glenn W. Page, Chair	Term expires 2008
Scott Self, Vice-Chair	Term expires 2007
Richard L. Lane	Term expires 2007
June Fuerderer	Term expires 2008
Victoria Barlow	Term expires 2009
Charles Beauregard, Sr.	Term expires 2009
Jeanne Thieme, alternate	Term expires 2007
Steve Russell, alternate	Term expires 2008
David Osgood, alternate	Term expires 2009
Deborah Davis, Selectmen's Representative	Term expires 2007

LIBRARY TRUSTEE

Arthur Boufford	Term expires 2007
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REPRESENTATIVES TO THE GENERAL COURT

Thomas L. Loll	Term expires 2008
Alfred C. Lerandeau	Term expires 2008
Peter Allen	Term expires 2008
Jane B. Johnson	Term expires 2008

APPOINTED BOARDS & COMMITTEES

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Judy Bohannon, Chair	Term expires 2009
Polly Seymour	Term expires 2007

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Stephen Stepenuck, Chair	Term expires 2008
Deb Crowder	Term expires 2007
Michael Morrison	Term expires 2007
Paul Daniello	Term expires 2008
Robert Wyman	Term expires 2009
Michael Day	Term expires 2009
Art Whipple, alternate	Term expires 2007
Tiffany Mannion, alternate	Term expires 2009

BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN PATHWAYS COMMITTEE

Steve Russell	John Summers
John Bridges	Bruce Bohannon
Jeanne Thieme	Walt Calkins
Marty Eaton	Martin Risley
Barbara Kahn	Rob Worden
David Krisch	Carol Jeffery
Theresa DiLuzio	David Whipple
Francis W. Faulkner, Jr., Selectmen's Representative	Suzanne Whittemore
Philip Topa	Sara Carbonneau, Town Planner

SWANZEY HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

Jo Gregory
Mary Faulkner
Ernest Perry

Ernest Guilbeault
Eileen Wheelock

OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

Suzanne Whittemore, Co-Chair
Victoria Reck Barlow
Francis Faulkner, Jr.

Katherine Feist, Co-Chair
Deb Crowder
Sara Carbonneau, Town Planner

SWANZEY REVENUE DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT ADVISORY BOARD

David Krisch, Chair
Larry Crowder, Vice-Chair
Gary Davis
Glenn Page
Adrian Pinney

Term expires 2008
Term expires 2009
Term expires 2007
Term expires 2008
Term expires 2009

SWANZEY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

Robert Pinckney, Chair
Deborah J. Davis
Victoria Barlow
David Osgood
Robert Beauregard
Larry Crowder

Term expires 2007
Term expires 2008
Term expires 2009
Term expires 2008
Term expires 2009
Term expires 2009

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

In addition to providing information on the town's finances and questions to be considered by voters, the Town's Annual Report is a good source of comprehensive information on town programs, department activities and events. Department reports include a review of events of the past year and previews issues for 2007 and future years. It serves as a historical document of issues faced and decisions made. The Selectmen's Report seeks to highlight some of the past year's activities as well as previewing the issues and challenges facing our town.

Work on several infrastructure projects initiated in prior years has almost concluded. These multi year projects have resulted in improved infrastructure.

- The North Swanzev Project, initiated in 2003, resulted in one of the town's most significant improvements in infrastructure; enhancing roads, water lines and extending municipal sewer service to the North Swanzev area between Route 12 and Route 32. At the close of the year, user hook ups in the new sewer service area were for the most part complete and the final course of pavement on more than 2.9 miles of re-constructed town roads (and portions of Route 32 and Lake Street) was in place. Extension and improvement of the utilities in this area have benefited both residential homeowners around Wilson Pond (providing opportunities for them to improve their homes by adding appliances like washing machines and dishwashers feared with their old septic systems) and also assisting commercial property owners by providing a safe, reliable method for waste disposal. The existence of desirable municipal utilities in this portion of town is expected to serve as a catalyst for new economic opportunities.
- The first phase of infrastructure work in the town's tax increment finance district was completed this fall. Planning for continuation of the road and utility improvements funded by tax revenue generated by properties within the district continues. Attention should be directed to the annual report of the Swanzev Revenue Development District Advisory Board for additional detail on the initial construction and continued planning efforts.
- Major road reconstruction work, funded through capital reserve, on Base Hill and Ash Hill Roads augmenting improvements by NHDOT to the Route 10 corridor was initiated this year as well. Final course pavement for these reconstructed roads will be placed during the 2007 construction season.
- Mt. Caesar Union Library completed updating of the heating/cooling systems serving their historic building, improving its ability to serve the residents of our town. Planning for continued facility upgrades is underway.

Developers have continued to serve as a stimulant to infrastructure expansion in the town adding new roads and utility customers. This year the "loop" from Woodland Heights Drive to C. L. Lane was completed, Kendall Lane (off Eaton Road) and Owens Drive (off California Brook Road) were constructed by developers. Over the past few years the pace of multi-family and commercial developments has picked up sharply. We have added several commercial ventures on Whittemore Farm Road and are anticipating the relocation of Cheshire Horse, from Keene, to its new location in Swanzev.

Financial and operational stability for the Carpenter Home, the town's assisted living facility, has continued. The Home's Special Revenue fund again ended the year in a positive cash position. Census has remained fairly stable and resulting operational costs were more than offset by operational revenue. Capital improvements to the home planned in 2007 include roof work and replacement of the septic system. Replacing the home's boiler system is also being considered. Trust fund income generated by bequests granted to benefit the home are the anticipated funding source for these needed facility improvements.

NHDES and other related state and federal agencies are continuing to plan for the removal of the Homestead Woolen Mill Dam which could well occur this year. NHDOT is assisting the town evaluating the scour threat to the Thompson Bridge and federal funding is being sought to assist the town and state in financing scour mitigation measures. Town officials remain concerned about what the final impact of dam removal will be on the town's landscape, the historic mill village and utility of the river to our residents.


The responsibilities of the Town continue to grow as does the Town - the 2006 population, as determined by the State of NH, was 7,229 residents, up 2.1% from the previous year. The occupancy of more than 120 multi-family housing units in the past few years and an additional 72 now under construction indicate that trend will be continuing. Continued growth, and the accompanying demands for services, is forcing the town to look to improve the manner in which services are delivered and focus on ensuring the sustainability of necessary public services. Our facilities are strained, impacted both by growth and changing requirements. Those needs will require attention, in the short term, to ensure that that we continue to provide needed services in an effective and efficient way. The Capital Improvements Committee, established by voters in 2006, has begun to evaluate these needs and their financing requirements. Their work will greatly assist town leaders and voters as we grapple with these challenges. Success of the efforts of the Open Space Committee will help determine what our town will look like in future years and the quality of life for the residents of our town.

We urge Swanzeys residents to remain attentive to the activities of county government and take steps to weigh in on their proposals by contacting commissioners and members of the county delegation, expressing concerns when warranted. Town officials, residents and other regional leaders have been successful to date in preventing county construction of a new jail on our town's prime commercial real estate (which would result in dramatic negative economic impact for the school and town and affect into the future the support for local needs). The county's jail needs remain unresolved. Attention could easily again turn back to our town and some of the locations previously considered.

Following the town's Deliberative Session voter participation at the polls in March will serve to frame actions considered by officials, activities of departments and projects undertaken in 2006. We urge all of the town's voters to take advantage of the opportunity to exercise their voice in the decision making process and come to the polls. Voting will take place at the Christian Life Fellowship Church, 211 Whitcomb Road and polls will be open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

We must all recognize that key to meeting the future challenges facing Swanzeys is the support of its residents. Much of what happens in our town would not happen without volunteer efforts. If you have an interest - sports, hiking, biking, history, public safety, gardening, reading, working with kids or the elderly - we can use you! The efforts of volunteers, board, committee and commission members, firefighters, rescue and emergency management personnel, as well as the efforts of all employees in all the Town's departments will allow future challenges to become opportunities.

To keep up with Town events, activities and meeting schedules, visit Swanzeys web page at www.town.swanzy.nh.us


Deborah J. Davis


Bruce L. Tatro


Nancy L. Carlson

Selectmen of Swanzeys, New Hampshire

TOWN HALL

The Town Hall staff provides a variety of services to the residents of Swanzeey. It's a vital link between its citizens, part time officials, town departments and numerous boards and committees. Some of the services that frequently bring residents to Town Hall include motor vehicle registration, dog licensing, vital records and related licenses, assessment and land use inquiries, payment of taxes and sewer and water bills. If you have any questions regarding Town government, please call the Town Hall at 352-7411.

The Town Hall has a variety of activities that are "on- going", such as Home Health Care's monthly blood pressure clinics, representatives from State and Federal government holding "office hours", and the Town's various boards and committees holding meetings and public hearings. This, combined with the Town's regular government daily functions, makes the Town Hall a very busy place.

Our Town Treasurer, Roger Conway, is retiring after serving the Town since 1984. Roger has served as the keystone in management of the town's financial affairs through the terms of 14 Selectmen, 3 Town Clerks and 2 Tax Collectors. We all wish him well in his retirement. He will be missed.

In 2006 Carol DeRocher retired after serving seven terms. Transitioning the office to allow the new Town Clerk Deirdre Geer to learn her duties required that office modify its hours of operation for a period after the election. Deirdre attended mandatory classes sponsored by the state related to vehicle registrations and vital records and participated in the first year of the Town Clerk/Tax Collector certification program.

While 2007 is a quiet year for elections we anticipate much effort will go into preparation for 2008 which is not! State election officials, through implementation of the Help America Voter Act (HAVA), have initiated new systems for maintenance of voter lists. Individuals wishing to register to vote may complete an application at Town Hall during regular business hours, apply during a posted session of the Supervisors of the Checklist or register at the polls. Also in 2006 new equipment to assist disabled voters was purchased by the state and provided to each town. With the presidential primary, town and school elections, state primary and general election schedule in 2008, poll workers will be needed. If you are interested in helping at the polls please contact us.

We encourage town residents consider the town's web site, www.town.swanzeey.nh.us, a tool to access information about what is happening around town. In addition to posting minutes of meetings, land use board agendas and hearings held by Selectmen, town ordinances and regulations can be accessed 24/7. Minutes of the boards and committees of the town are also posted on the town's web site. Job opportunities, opportunities to serve on town boards or committees and news events are also posted on the town's site. A goal in 2007 is to work with town departments to expand the site to include more department specific information.

The staff would like to thank the Old Homestead Garden Club for their hard work in maintaining the gardens at Town Hall and the other public gardens in town and to the Swanzeey Girl Scouts and Brownies for decorating the hall for the holiday season. We would also like to thank the Public Works Department for their assistance in decorating the hall for Old Home Day, Memorial Day, and the 4th of July.

By participating in town government, each and every citizen makes Swanzeey a better place. Your input, efforts and support is needed for the many community events and projects that make Swanzeey special. If you would like to serve on a committee, volunteer to help with an event, or would like to find out more information about your town or its government, please contact us at Town Hall.

Deirdre Geer, Town Clerk; Lori Belletete, Deputy Town Clerk; Ruth Snyder, Tax Collector; Sara Carbonneau, Town Planner; Theresa Lounder, Bookkeeper; Sandi Page, Administrative Aide; Beth Fox, Town Administrator; Roger Conway, Treasurer; Jim Weston, Code Enforcement Officer.

TREASURER'S REPORT
January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNTS

Balance on Hand January 1, 2006	\$ 5,305,747.49
Plus receipts	
Town Clerk	1,164,622.77
Tax Collector	12,723,072.65
Selectmen	2,376,415.02
WWTP SAG	12,271.00
Total Cash Available	\$ 21,582,128.93
Less payments	16,182,239.97
Less transfer to Sewer Fund	39,271.00
Less transfer to Conservation Commission	10,000.00
	\$ 16,231,510.97
Plus transfer from N. Swanzey Project	503,574.56
Plus transfer from Sewer Fund	273,820.39
Plus transfer from Conservation Commission	866.27
	778,261.22
Cash on Hand December 31, 2006	\$ 6,128,879.18

Distribution of Cash on Hand General Fund Accounts

MBIA Investment Account	\$ 1,760,688.55
Citizens Bank CD	3,900,000.00
Citizens Bank Checking	468,190.63
	\$ 6,128,879.18

SEWER COMMISSIONERS ACCOUNTS

Balance on Hand January 1, 2006	\$ 239,616.62
Plus receipts	376,478.87
Total Cash Available	616,095.49
Less payments	412,430.89
Cash on hand December 31, 2006	\$ 203,664.60

Distribution of Cash on Hand Sewer Commissioners Accounts

Citizens Bank Checking	\$ 3,059.19
MBIA Investment Account	200,605.41
	\$ 203,664.60

NORTH SWANZEY SEWER PROJECT

Balance on Hand January 1, 2006	\$	14,480.46
Receipts		
CDBG Funds	\$	40,103.00
N. Swanzey Water & Fire Precinct		41,854.86
Rural Development-Sewer		421,616.70
Citizens Bank Interest		<u>180.51</u>
Total Receipts	\$	503,755.07
Total Cash on Hand		518,235.53
Less Transfer to General Fund		<u>503,574.56</u>
Cash on Hand December 31, 2006	\$	14,660.97

Distribution of Cash on Hand End of Year

Citizens Bank	\$	14,660.97
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SOD FARM ACCOUNT

Balance on Hand January 1, 2006	\$	2,809.44
Plus interest		<u>25.22</u>
Cash on Hand December 31, 2006	\$	2,834.66

Distribution of Cash on Hand Sod Farm Account

Citizens Bank	\$	2,834.66
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CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOW & MBIA

Balance on Hand January 1, 2006	\$	74,887.43
Plus Yearly Receipts		13,524.65
Less Payments		<u>866.27</u>
Cash on Hand December 31, 2006		87,545.81

Distribution of Accounts Conservation Commission

Citizens Bank Account		86,215.07
MBIA Investment Account		<u>1,330.74</u>
	\$	87,545.81

CONSERVATION COMMISSION CRESSON FOREST

Balance on Hand January 1, 2006		14,400.25
Plus Yearly Receipts		<u>632.58</u>
Cash on Hand December 31, 2006	\$	15,032.83

Distribution of Cresson Forest Account

Citizens Bank		13,701.44
MBIA Investment		<u>1,331.39</u>
	\$	15,032.83

Respectfully submitted,
Roger W. Conway, Treasurer

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT 2006

Property Taxes

ON LEVIES OF

UNCOLLECTED TAXES 1/1/2006	2006	2005
Property Taxes	-	1,921,310.65
Land Use Change	-	4,500.00
Recording Fees: Land Change Use	-	32.74
Yield Taxes	-	612.76

COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

Property Taxes	11,103,731.00	-
Land Use Change	60,750.00	-
Yield Taxes	30,777.57	-
Excavation Activity Tax	3,720.92	-
Recording Fees: Land Change Use	196.68	-
Overpayments: Property Taxes	44,802.23	14,645.03
Interest Collected	11,287.22	32,183.84
TOTAL DEBITS:	\$ 11,255,265.62	\$ 1,973,285.02

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER

Property Taxes	10,527,736.92	1,935,573.83
Land Use Change	24,900.00	4,500.00
Yield Taxes	18,984.42	612.76
Excavation Tax	3,720.92	-
Recording Fees: Land Change Use	81.95	32.74
Interest Collected	11,287.22	32,183.84
Abatements: Property Taxes	2,401.00	381.85

UNCOLLECTED TAXES 12/31/2006

Property Taxes	618,395.31	-
Land Use Change	35,850.00	-
Recording Fees-Land Change Use	114.73	-
Yield Taxes	11,793.15	-
TOTAL CREDITS:	\$ 11,255,265.62	\$ 1,973,285.02

ON LEVIES

	2005	2004	2003 & PRIOR
UNREDEEMED LIENS 1/1/2006	-	201,704.16	144,927.64
Liens Executed	241,656.94	-	-
Interest & Costs	5,108.65	21,048.83	45,529.99
TOTAL DEBITS:	\$ 246,765.59	\$ 222,752.99	\$ 190,457.63
REMITTANCES TO TREASURER			
Redemptions	83,975.84	107,273.26	141,849.42
Interest & Costs	5,108.65	21,048.83	45,529.99
UNRDEEMED LIENS 12/31/2006	157,681.10	94,430.90	3,078.22
TOTAL CREDITS:	\$ 246,765.59	\$ 222,752.99	\$ 190,457.63

Sewer User Fees

	LEVIES OF	
	2006	2005
UNCOLLECTED SEWER RENTS 1/1/2006		
North Swanzey Pass Thru	-	2,220.35
North Swanzey	-	-
West Swanzey	-	47,413.69
SEWER RENTS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR		
North Swanzey Pass Thru	20,292.32	-
North Swanzey	102,762.07	-
West Swanzey	164,903.06	-
Interest Collected: North Swanzey	101.29	-
Interest Collected: West Swanzey	277.29	1,353.85
TOTAL DEBITS:	\$ 288,336.03	\$ 50,987.89

REMITTANCE TO TREASURER

North Swanzey Pass Thru	16,173.28	2,215.00
North Swanzey	63,502.28	-
West Swanzey	116,812.90	47,356.65
Abatements: North Swanzey	2,623.24	-
Abatements: West Swanzey	-	57.04
Interest Collected: North Swanzey	101.79	-
Interest Collected: West Swanzey	277.29	1,353.85

UNCOLLECTED SEWER RENTS 12/31/2006

North Swanzey Pass Thru	4,118.96	5.35
North Swanzey	36,636.55	-
West Swanzey	48,090.16	-
TOTAL CREDITS:	\$ 288,336.45	\$ 50,987.89

	LEVIES OF		
	2005	2004	2003
UNREDEMED LIENS 1/1/2006	-	3,811.77	1,572.69
Liens Executed	4,878.02	-	-
Interest & Costs after Lien	63.26	623.21	820.91
TOTAL DEBITS:	\$ 4,941.28	\$ 4,434.98	\$ 2,393.60

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER

Redemptions	1,508.59	2,590.90	1,572.69
Interest & Costs	93.26	623.21	820.91
UNREDEEMED LIENS 12/31/2006	3,369.50	1,220.87	-
TOTAL CREDITS:	\$ 4,971.35	\$ 4,434.98	\$ 2,393.60

Respectfully submitted,
Ruth C. Snyder, Tax Collector

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

Motor Vehicle Registration Fees - Town	\$1,114,076.46
Motor Vehicle Decals	19,902.50
Motor Vehicle Title Applications	3,806.00
Boat Agent Fees - Town	387.50
Boat Fees - State	4,773.00
Boat Tax - Town	1,972.40
Dog Fines	1,771.00
Dog Licenses - State Fee	3,391.00
Dog Licenses - Town Fee	7,070.00
Fish & Games Agent Fees - Town	45.00
Fish & Game License Fees - State	1,320.50
Marriage Licenses - State	1,330.00
Marriage Licenses - Town	245.00
UCC Filings & Searches	2,290.00
Vital Statistics - State	671.00
Vital Statistics - Town	337.00
Miscellaneous	1,234.41
Total Remitted to Treasurer	\$1,164,622.77
Less Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Refunded	1,697.00
Total Town Clerk Receipts	\$1,162,925.77

Respectfully submitted,
Deirdre A. Geer, Town Clerk

PLANNING BOARD

2006 was, once again, a very busy year for the Planning Board. The Board reviewed 16 applications for site plan review (including a 72 unit condominium project) and 13 applications for subdivisions (potentially creating 68 lots). This is an addition to the numerous applications for signs, home occupations, boundary line adjustments and multi-and new-tenant occupancies.

Growth is occurring in Swanzey, both in the residential and commercial sectors. How best to manage this growth is an issue that the Planning Board continues to address when considering applications, as well as when preparing amendments to the Zoning Ordinance and it is not an easy task. As stated last year, it is extremely important that community members take the time to become informed and involved.

The applications that come before the Planning Board have an effect on every Town department, whether it is the result of the new roads that need to be maintained, an increased demand on the recycling center or the need for additional police officers. These impacts need to be considered when each and every application is considered by the Board. These impacts also need to be weighed against the positive impacts that result from new businesses, additional housing, etc. that are brought to the Town.

Also, it is important to keep in mind that the Planning Board is an elected, volunteer Board. If you have ideas or concerns about the future of Swanzey, it is your duty to make these known to Board members. Even better, there are many opportunities to serve your Town in a volunteer capacity. (Appointed) alternate member vacancies occasionally arise on the Planning Board and are posted on the Town's website (www.town.swanzey.nh.us). In addition, membership vacancies are also experienced by the Zoning Board, Conservation Commission, Capital Improvements Committee and many other Town boards and committees. Your help is needed.

Finally, Planning Board meetings are held on the first and third Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall and the public is always encouraged to attend. In addition, questions regarding Planning Board matters may be directed to Town Planner Sara Carbonneau at the Town Hall (352-7411).

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn W. Page, Chair

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The Zoning Board of Adjustment (ZBA) meets on the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall with the exception of February when it meets on the 2nd Monday. Notices of public hearings are posted at the Town Hall and the two post offices. In addition, notices are published in the Keene Sentinel and sent by certified mail to all abutters. Agendas and minutes are available for review at the Town Hall or on the Town's website at www.town.swanzey.nh.us

The function of the ZBA is to consider applications from property owners for the following: requests for variances, requests for special exceptions; appeals from administrative decisions and requests for equitable waivers from dimensional requirements. The actions and powers of zoning boards are strictly controlled by New Hampshire law. For example, criteria for granting variances have been established by New Hampshire case law. All towns must utilize that exact criteria and only if the applicant meets all the criteria, the variance must be granted.

The Swansey Zoning Ordinance is available on the Town's website at www.town.swanzey.nh.us The Swansey Zoning Ordinance was adopted in 1947 and numerous amendments to the ordinance have been made throughout the years. When zoning amendments are proposed, public hearings are held by the Planning Board in order to solicit input. For any zoning amendment to be adopted, it must be voted on by the citizens of the Town. The ZBA encourages Swansey residents to take an active role in the development of regulations that affects each and every one of you.

Questions regarding the ZBA and its function may be addressed to Sara Carbonneau, Town Planner, at the Town Hall or via e-mail to scarbonneau@town.swanzey.nh.us

Finally, the Zoning Board, as well as many other Town boards and committees, often need additional members. If you are interested in what happens in your community and want to make a difference, please contact either Beth Fox or Sara Carbonneau at Town Hall (352-7411).

Respectfully submitted,
William Hutwelker, Chair

CODE ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Code Enforcement Department currently consists of the Code Enforcement Officer and the Fire Inspector. The Code Enforcement Officer holds regular office hours on Tuesdays from 9 am to noon, Wednesday evenings from 7 to 8:30 pm, and Thursdays from 9 am to noon. Inspections and consultations are scheduled on an as requested basis.

The Code Enforcement Department is responsible for the review and issuance of building permits, as well as conducting inspections during construction and issuing certificates of occupancy. In addition, the Code Enforcement Officer is charged with the responsibility of investigating and enforcing code and zoning violations, as well as reviewing for compliance with approved site plans. During the 2006 calendar year, the Code Enforcement Department issued 197 building permits. The estimated value of construction during 2006 was \$9,010,869.

Building in Swanzey has also been effected by new state laws-specifically the adoption of what is referred to as the "Statewide Building Code." The Statewide Building Code includes the International Building, Plumbing, Mechanical, and Energy Conservation Codes as well as the National Electrical Code, all impacting commercial construction. In addition, the State adopted the International Residential Code for modular housing. "Stick-built" residential housing in Swanzey is regulated by the International Residential Code 2000 with minor amendments. These codes run hundreds of pages long, are very detailed, and require expertise and training in their administration.

As Swanzey continues to grow, more attention should be given to the role and responsibilities of the Code Enforcement Department. To effectively meet the demand for services (including inspections relating to building projects, site plans, and other land use approvals; investigations generated as a result of citizen concerns; and enforcement of code violations) an expansion of the current department may be necessary in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
Jim Weston, Code Enforcement Officer
Ron Fontaine, Fire Inspector

SWANZEY POLICE DEPARTMENT

The increase in residential and commercial growth in Cheshire County was even more evident on the demands of the Swanzeay Police Department in 2006. As in the past several years, this year continued the pattern of increased activity and calls to the Department and has placed added demands on all of our staff. This past year brought many serious and complex cases. These cases took a tremendous amount of time and effort. Swanzeay is effected by the growing heroin problem in Cheshire County. It may be hard to fathom that a nice community such as Swanzeay has a heroin problem, but it does. It is wide spread and it has been the root cause of many of our serious cases. It is affecting many families as well as the crime victims it creates.

Among the more significant types of cases we investigated this past year were: several serious shooting cases, many serious car accidents (two of which resulted in fatalities), multiple sexual assaults, burglaries, high dollar value thefts, serious assaults, counterfeiting, illegal drug investigation, an increase in bad check cases reported by our local merchants, and a significant increase in stolen vehicles. This only scratches the surface of the complex investigations. I would like to add that our staff has done a great job on these cases.

Our available resources have been stretched to the max and I do not see the pace slowing down. I do not want to paint a picture of doom and gloom but our residents need to know the facts. Last year I asked the town voters to support the hiring of an additional officer to increase our authorized strength to 12 officers. Unfortunately, the voters did not support my request and it was narrowly defeated. I am again asking you to support this initiative in 2007. We NEED the help!

I want to again state some facts:

- We have a major heroin problem in Swanzeay; it is widespread and is the root cause of many of our serious cases. The methamphetamine epidemic that other states across the country are facing is starting to show its face in New Hampshire. It is said to be the worst of all the illegal drugs with regard to addiction and related crimes.
- We have experienced an increase in volume and complexity of calls.
- The past years have greatly increased the demands of the SPD without an increase in the number of officers.
- Demands will continue to increase from the effects of our town and region's growth.
- We are less proactive and are mostly reactive.
- I am asking for both your understanding and support for funding additional police officers for your police department.

We had some personnel turnover this year as two officers left our town for higher paying positions in other local police departments. The loss of these officers is felt throughout the organization as their knowledge and experience of and in the community is difficult to replace. We have hired two officers to fill these positions who are town residents: Officers Cory Tommila and Robert Eccleston II. On a sad note, recently retired Police K-9, Argo, died on October 3rd after a short bout with cancer. Argo impeccably served our community. It's my hope that we can continue with the K-9 program in the near future.

As the volume of police investigations increases, so does the case load of the Regional Prosecutor. For the past six years, Swanzeay has been the administering agency of the Office of the Regional Prosecutor. We manage the eight town program. The program has been reaching its maximum capabilities and is stretching and pushing at the seams. Two years ago, we knew that the program would eventually reach this point. At that time I wrote and submitted a request for a federal grant to supplement the program which would help with our needs. In November 2005, I received notification from US Senator Judd Gregg that my \$300,000 grant request was approved by the DOJ. Due to the long process that allows us the grant funds, we should be able to begin utilizing these funds in January 2007. This grant will greatly assist the RPA Program and will help sustain it for several years.

We've continued to strive to improve our customer service. Our officers have continued to work with two Neighborhood Watch Programs and we continue to regularly visit our elementary schools, interacting with both the staff and the students. We stand behind our Department's Core Values: *Fairness, Compassion and Integrity*. Our Core Values are the key to how we deliver our services.

Our officers continue to attend professional development and advanced training programs to help us stay on the leading edge of law enforcement technology and concepts. As Chief, I am actively involved in several county and state law enforcement committees. I believe this involvement will benefit the Town of Swanze. The Swanze Police Department believes strongly in being a "team player." We continue to focus on working harmoniously with other town departments to improve the quality of life in Swanze.

I'm very proud to be a member of the Swanze Police Department. Swanze is fortunate to have caring and conscientious personnel for their police department. I would like to thank each and every one of our officers and support staff for their work ethic and job performance. I encourage members of the community to get to know their police officers. I look forward to citizens stopping by the station, asking questions, and learning what we do. I believe it is important for us to have a partnership with the community we serve. I think they will like what they see and hear. Our officers help keep Swanze a safe community to reside in and in which to do business. It is, however, a very busy community with regard to police activities and demands. The following is some statistical information with regard to a sampling of the types and numbers of incidents the department handled in 2006.

STATISTICS

Calls for service	5,945
M/V Citations	2,242
Motor Vehicle Accidents	213
Arrests	317

Among these calls were:

Speeding enforcement	1,032	Driving while intoxicated	29
Sexual Assaults	16	Assaults	69
Drug Investigations	24	Larceny	220
Burglary	30	Protective Custody	85
Criminal Mischief	73	Domestic Disturbances	94
Citizens request for help	564	Assist other agencies	611
Suspicious activity	292	Juvenile calls	157

As Chief, I am committed to excellence and professional service. The Swanze Police Department is in the customer service business. The citizens of Swanze are our customers. We will continue to strive, through training and hard work, to provide the Town with the type of professional policing they deserve. We look forward to another year working with the Fire Department, Department of Public Works, and Emergency Management to provide the residents with the best in emergency services.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard V.C. Busick IV
 Chief of Police

SWANZEY FIRE DEPARTMENT

2006 was a tough year with the passing of Lt. David Packard, retired Chief Henry Johnson, past Assistant Chief Morgan Wright, and past Captain Robert LaBelle. We will continue to miss their knowledge, expertise, and friendship. It has been difficult, but we continued to respond to emergencies and calls for service. Quick responses and aggressive fire attack methods have limited the damage from fires this year.

Our aging fleet of equipment required a lot of maintenance this year, with front line engines from each station receiving expensive repairs. A new engine is scheduled for purchase this year from the capital reserve fund and will be deployed in the East Station. A separate expenditure to replace the 45-year old tanker is on the horizon.

All three stations have limited storage space and maintenance issues. The Center Station underground diesel tank rusted and leaked and had to be removed along with the heating oil tank. Two new above ground tanks were installed inside, in already cramped space. Contaminated soils were removed and monitoring wells installed. The station under the Town Hall is inadequate for the size of new apparatus. The Town is in need of a new central fire station or possibly an emergency services center.

State and Homeland Security Grants have provided us with new portable radios and carbon monoxide pulse oximeters. As first responders to any emergency, we continue working with Emergency Management on planning for all hazards, including pandemic flu, man-made, and natural disasters.

Training is constant and new members are becoming certified in firefighting. A training burn was conducted on South Road at a house donated by the Morse family. We have attended training at the Meadowood Fire School, NH Fire Academy, NH Community Technical College, and National Fire Academy. We hosted an EMT Intermediate Class and an EMT refresher program.

As Swanzev continues to increase in population, our volunteers are being asked to respond more often. Making a living along with careers and family obligations does not leave much time for firefighting or the required equipment checks, maintenance, and testing. As adequate staffing becomes a bigger issue throughout Cheshire County, local fire chiefs are working toward regional response teams, in addition, to the mutual aid system we have come to rely on. Buildings and vehicles are becoming safer, but accidents do happen. Our calls are expected to keep increasing as Swanzev continues to grow and develop.

The following is a summary of the calls in 2006:

CO Investigation	8	Public Assist	22
MV Accident	78	Tree/Wires Down	21
Fire Alarm	21	False Alarm	7
Structure Fire	5	Chimney Fire	3
Brush Fire	9	Oil Burner Problem	4
Mutual Aid	38	Car Fire	3
LP Leak	4	Skidder Fire	1
Medical Emergencies	387	Assist Police	2
False Medical	17	Gas Spill	6
Electrical Odor/Fire	5	Miscellaneous	60
OHRV Accident	4	Stove Fire	2
Smoke in Bldg.	3	Illegal Burn	8
Oil Spill	5	Explosion	0
Water Problem	15	Aircraft Emergency	2
Service Call	6	Trauma	23

Total: 759

Last Year's Total: 760

Respectfully submitted,
Sylvester Karasinski, Fire Chief

Board of Engineers

East

Capt. David Page
 Lt. Ron Fontaine
 Lt. Eric Kerylow

Center

Capt. Gerry Bell
 Lt. Keith Bell
 Lt. Geoff Davis

West

Capt. Robert Symonds
 Lt. Steven Dunshee
 Lt. Ray Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

This year brought many changes to the department, some expected and others not. In April longtime cemetery supervisor Morgan Wright passed away. He had served the town in that capacity for fourteen years and is missed. My health took a turn for the worst, in April as well, which slowed me up for several months. I want to thank all of you who stopped by to see how I was doing. Thanks to Trevor and the crew for covering for me. In mid-June, Francis Faulkner was hired to oversee care of the cemeteries, parks and other town facilities. Ken Page retired in July leaving a spot in the grounds maintenance crew open. The combination of expected and unexpected changes resulted in the department operating short-handed for much of the year. I could not wait for 2006 to be over because 2007 couldn't be as bad.

Highways, Streets & Bridges

Winter began with a passing weather front that blew down one of the dugouts on South Road. Another wind storm in February kept us busy from noon until the evening with trees down all over town. Some people were without power for several days. In terms of winter weather small storms were the rule. We plowed only three times in January but had to salt the roads seventeen times. In February, we plowed three times but had to salt the roads only seven times. In March, winter pretty much ended, but then came mud season. It is usual to have a wet April but not this year. It was dry to the point that we had brush fires starting in March. Then the rains came in May and June. When the weather is out of whack the town's twelve miles of gravel roads are tough to maintain.

This year, as part of our routine pavement management, we chip sealed 1.57 miles of road, shimmed 1.8 miles of road, and did major reconstruction overlaying 2.25 miles of road. We are hoping to continue to improve our pavement management and do as much, if not more, this coming year. Selectmen and I are working, with the town's Capital Improvements Committee, to develop a multi-year plan identifying town roads requiring maintenance such as sealing or shimming (generally funded through the department's operating budget) as well as scheduling those requiring major reconstruction. Several town roads related to NHDOT's Route 10 improvement project were reconstructed in 2006, including Base Hill Road to the Keene line and a portion of Ash Hill Road beginning at the end of the state's project area and running easterly to Sawyers Crossing Road. Plans for the 2007 operating budget include chip sealing on Eaton Road and shimming Carlton and Cobble Hill Roads. The 2007 and 2008 schedule includes plans to reconstruct Webber Hill Road, Main and West Streets (funded through the contributions to the town's expendable trust for road rehabilitation). Town initiated development efforts expanded the town's road network in 2006 with completion of the first phase of improvements in the town's tax increment financing district adding Safford Drive. Developers also extended the town's road network adding about a mile of new town road including Owens Drive and a new section of Woodland Heights Drive.

Property owners are reminded that driveway permits, when constructing, reconstruction, paving or changing the use of a driveway, are required by both the town and state highway departments. Information on the town's driveway requirements may be found under the Ordinances section of the town's web site, www.town.swanzeny.nh.us. Town applications may be obtained through the highway department or at Town Hall.

Some repairs relating to the October 2005 flooding, to be funded through the disaster aid declaration funds, remain pending as the 2006 work plan did not accommodate completion. Most significant is repair to the gate at the Lower Wilson Pond Dam. State inspectors have also identified repair work which will require completion in 2007 at the Upper Wilson Pond Dam.

Street lights are managed through the Department of Public Works. Residents are encouraged to contact us if a light is malfunctioning or not operating. Evaluation of the town's street light network, to ensure it continues to address the needs of the residents of our town will be a future department project.

Please feel free to give us a call, at 352-7116, if you have any questions or concerns regarding the town's highways streets, bridges, street lights or dams. If we are not at the DPW garage to take your call, leave a message or contact me by email, ldunham@town.swanzey.nh.us.

Respectfully submitted,
Lee D. Dunham, Director

Cemeteries, Parks & Facilities Maintenance

2006 saw expansion of the responsibilities of the Cemeteries and Parks Division with the addition of facilities maintenance aimed at improving the condition and care of town's properties.

Total burials in 2006 were 45 of which 24 were full burials and 21 were cremations. Information on the town's cemeteries and rules and regulations regarding items such as plantings and monuments may be found on the Town of Swanzeys web site under the Public Works section.

Maintaining the town's grounds was challenging during much of the early summer with frequent rainfall making it difficult to keep the grass mowed and trimmed in all five cemeteries and at the town's ball fields. Removal of hazardous trees at several town cemeteries, including Mt. Caesar, Mountainview and Oak Hill occurred. A dangerous tree near the Golden Rod Grange was also removed. All of these trees suffered from lightning strikes and those in the cemeteries a threat to the headstones surrounding them.

At the ball fields, the dug out blown down in January at Lane Field was rebuilt using funds from the town's insurer and the Cal Ripken Board of Directors funded construction of a new 20' x 30' covered pavilion at the Field. Water supply at Brown Field was problematic due a broken line. The West Swanzeys Village water supply had to be shut down twice to repair it and install a shut off valve at the field. At ball field at Brown Field was re-graded, thatched, aerated, and over seeded the outfield in order to provide a safer playing surface for the 2007 softball season.

Removal of a diesel fuel tank and underground heating oil tank at the Town Hall/Swanzeys Center Fire Station precipitated additional work at this location including construction of a new concrete block retaining wall and installation of two new 330 gallon oil tanks replacing the 1,000 gallon underground fuel tank used to supply oil to the furnace. Provision of fuel for the building's diesel generator is still under consideration.

An additional resident room at the Carpenter Home and the home's pantry area were re-tiled. The casing pipe on the artesian well was changed to bring the well into compliance with today's code. Some roofing work was completed and more is anticipated during 2007. In addition, work on the septic system is anticipated and consideration is being given to replacement of the home's old boiler which provides heat for much of the assisted living facility in this old New England Farmhouse left to the Town by Lucy Carpenter.

In December, work began at the Department of Public Works reconstructing a garage salvaged by town forces to allow for the straightening of a section of Wilson Pond Road in 2005. The addition of this building will allow all of our lawn maintenance equipment to be stored in one location.

Should you have any questions or concerns I may be reached at 603-762-3271 or via e-mail at f1aulkner@town.swanzey.nh.us.

Respectfully submitted,
Francis W. Faulkner, Jr.
Grounds & Facilities Maintenance Supervisor

RECYCLING CENTER

Another good year-busy as always. We handled over 2,5000 tons of material in 2006. Non-recyclable waste decreased slightly and our recycling/diversion rate rose to 52%, again good for you!

Household recyclables tonnage (paper, plastic, cans, etc.) which are "labor intensive" remained about even with 2005, while tonnage of construction debris, glass, and scrap metal were lower. We are, for the first time, including compost, wood, and aggregates (see below) to our volumes reports as they are a significant part of our operation in both tonnage and costs. Their inclusion gives a truer picture of our operations.

While recycling remains foremost of our concerns, "landfill avoidance" is also very important. Commodities such as wood, glass, compost, and aggregates (stone, concrete, soils) are not always recycled as such, but are "diverted from a landfill" (which in Swanze's case saves us \$117 per ton). Both "recycled" and "landfill avoided" are now being combined into a "recycling/diversion" rate, which is being increasingly recognized by both the government and the private sector.

On the personnel side, we now have an assistant solid waste manager. Please stop in and meet Steve Stewart. With an extensive background in solid waste, recycling, and facility design and development, Steve is a valuable asset to the Center.

We regretfully had to close our Free Exchange this year. Many factors including decreasing quality, liability, public safety, and costs made this decision necessary (although somewhat unpopular). We thank you for your understanding.

We still have a good supply of wood chips, some excellent compost and (occasionally) kindling. It's **free** and we can help you load it!

Please always feel free to come inside to see how your facility operates. We always welcome the opportunity to give group tours and presentations.

And, as always, thank you for your continuing support.

Recycling Hours
Tuesdays & Fridays 7 am – 4 pm
Wednesdays 10 am – 6 pm
Saturdays 7 am – 5 pm

Respectfully submitted,
David Krisch, Solid Waste Manager

Stephen Stewart, Asst. Solid Waste Mgr.	Gerry Laramie, Recycling Foreman
Jerry Bussiere	Fred Danz
John Jardine	Carol Jeffery
Jim Morse	Ransom Webster
Dave Whipple	

SEWER COMMISSION REPORT

2006 was a very busy year for the Swanzey Sewer Commission.

The North Swanzey sewer, water, drainage, and road realignment project drew to a close in 2006 with final paving in the project area completed in September. Start up of the new collection system went fairly smoothly. The two new pump stations, on Wilson Pond Road and off Route 32, have operated well but for a small glitch at Wilson Pond Road station related to power supply during an August heat wave. Hook up of users to the new collection system, whose waste is treated at the Keene Wastewater Treatment Plant, is almost complete as well. We thank our new users for their patience as we worked through establishing and billing the new sewer accounts and integrating invoicing of water and sewer.

In September, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued a new discharge permit for the West Swanzey Treatment Plant. The new permit became effective December 1, 2006. The primary difference, between the new and old discharge permits, is an additional requirement to treat for phosphorous. The Commissioners and staff are exploring the most cost effective method of meeting this new requirement.

A 72 unit condominium project on Owens Drive (off of California Brook Road) started construction during 2006 and new users from the project will begin to come on line in 2007.

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn W. Page, Chair



Sewer Commission Financial Reports

Sewer Fund Interim Trial Balance December 31, 2006	
Assets	
Cash	3,059
Investments	200,605
Taxes Receivable (User Fees - West Swanzezy WWTP)	48,090
Taxes Receivable (User Fees - North Swanzezy Collection System)	40,761
Tax Liens Receivable (User Fees - West Swanzezy WWTP)	4,590
State Aid Grant Estimated Receivable (North Swanzezy)	65,000
Total Assets	297,106
Liabilities	
Due to Other Funds	60,427
Total Liabilities	60,427
Fund Equity 12/31/2006	\$236,679

Summary of Sewer Fund Revenue & Expenses 2006	
Revenues	
User Fees: West Swanzezy Current Year	116,812.90
User Fees: North Swanzezy Current Year	79,675.56
User Fees-Prior Years: West Swanzezy	47,356.65
User Fees-Prior Years: North Swanzezy	2,215.00
Interest	1,732.91
Redemptions	5,672.18
Interest & Costs for Redemptions	1,537.38
Sewer Fund Interest	11,223.74
NH State Aid Grant & Hook Up Fees	15,996.04
Total Revenues	\$282,222.36
Expenditures	
Operating Expenses (see Detailed Statement of Payments all Funds)	341,748.92
Total Expenditures	\$341,748.92

North Swanzezy Project Expenditures 2006	
Sewer Collection System & Pump Stations	388,112.25
Road and Drainage Improvements	55,610.62
Water Line Improvements (NS Water & Fire Precinct)	57,251.42
Total Expenditures 2006 (inc. construction, engineering & other)	\$500,974.29

HOME HEALTHCARE, HOSPICE & COMMUNITY SERVICES REPORT TO THE TOWN OF SWANZEY

ANNUAL REPORT

In 2006 Home Healthcare, Hospice and Community Services (HCS) continued to provide home care and community services to the residents of Swanzev. The following information represents HCS's activities in your community during the past twelve months.

SERVICE REPORT

<u>Services Offered</u>	<u>Services Provided</u>
Nursing	2,443 Visits
Physical Therapy	228 Visits
Occupational Therapy	38 Visits
Medical Social Work	7 Visits
Home & Community Based Care*	3,778 Hours
Home Health Aide	2,871 Visits
Homemaker	2,723 Hours
Adult in-home care	6,959 Hours
Outreach	284 Visits
Health Promotion Clinics	24 Clinics
Meals-on-wheels	13,952 Meals

*Home and Community Based Care is a Medicaid Program which offers extended home care services to individuals who are in need of nursing home level care but can be maintained at home for a lower cost.

Total Unduplicated Residents Served: 393

Prenatal and well child care, hospice services and regularly scheduled "Nurse Is In" clinics are also available to the residents. Town funding partially supports these services.

HCS FINANCIAL REPORT

The actual cost of all services provided in 2006 with all funding sources is \$1,006,003.

These services have been supported to the greatest extent possible by Medicare, Medicaid, other insurances, grants and patient fees. Services that were covered by other funding have been supported by your town.

For 2007, we request an appropriation for \$16,500. to continue to be available for home care services and \$8,371. for the Meals-On-Wheels Program for Swanzev residents.

Thank you for your consideration.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The Health Department is responsible for monitoring both drinking and swimming water at several locations, inspections of foster homes, day care and preschool facilities, investigation of housing complaints, septic system inspections, assistance in lead paint inspections and miscellaneous public health complaint investigations. The following services were provided in 2006.

1.	Water Samples Collected	18
2.	Foster Homes, Day Care, Preschool Facilities	5
3.	Housing Inspections	4
4.	Septic System Inspections	12
5.	Miscellaneous Inspections	83
6.	Lead Paint Inspections	0
7.	Private Schools	2

The West Nile Virus Program will continue for 2007 with the same procedures as 2006. Municipal Pest Management Services will be obtaining the Mosquito/Black Fly Special Permit from the State Pesticide Board on behalf of the Town of Swanzy. Statewide there were 134 were tested for WNV with 112 testing negative and 22 positive. This year 134 birds were tested for EEE (Eastern Equine Encephalitis) with 129 testing negative and 5 positive. One bird was submitted from Swanzy and tested negative for both WNV and EEE.

A reminder of RSA 125-N, the state law which prohibits residential trash burning. Pamphlets on RSA 125-N are available at the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert L. DeRocher, Health Officer

CARPENTER HOME

The Carpenter Home is an assisted living facility for the elderly and is located on 230 acres near the Swanzy Town Hall. Lucy Carpenter bequeathed the home and land, with a sizeable restricted endowment, to the Town of Swanzy. The Home provides assisted living services in a comfortable rural setting to both private pay and Medicaid recipients.

The facility is licensed for 16 residents and currently serves 15. Although resident census has yet to reach capacity, steps are being taken to do so and progress continues to be made toward this goal.

Deferred work continues on the home. Floors have been updated in many rooms and new doors installed on the porch. The roof and septic system have been this past year's challenges and will need to be addressed in 2007.

During 2006, the Carpenter Home stayed busy. We hosted an open house in October and another one at Christmas time allowing residents and their families to socialize with the staff and public. In February the residents exchanged Valentines with one another. This past summer we attended Prospect Day at the Ashuelot Park and also enjoyed several picnics there, went on a foliage tour, enjoyed eating out once a month at different local restaurants, and had a visit from Santa at our Christmas party. The special education students from Monadnock Regional High School have been very good to the residents. They joined the residents this past fall in doing different kinds crafts and games. The students kept the home beautiful by donating poinsettia plants to each of the residents as well as hanging wreaths for the holidays.

Our residents enjoyed the Senior Swingers Show at Monadnock Regional High School, being entertained by llamas from the Smurf Llama Farm, and Mrs. Curran's monthly piano playing and singing for the residents.

We continue to improve the quality of our services, which in turn improves the quality of life for each of our residents. The Carpenter Home received no deficiencies from our state inspection and we received an award from the Department of Health and Human Services Commissioner John Stephen for our support and quality care for the residents.

As administrator I want to thank all who have supported our facility with their time and donations. The home received many donations and among them was an organ. We welcome anyone who would like to come in and volunteer, especially anyone who can play the organ. If you are interested in volunteering or helping in any way, such as transportation, please call Dawn at 352-2269.

Please help us to continue making the Carpenter Home a valuable resource to the Town of Swanzy. The Carpenter Home intends to maintain financial independence while continuing to provide quality assisted living services to seniors in the Monadnock Region.

Respectfully submitted,
Dawn Rice, Administrator

Carpenter Home Special Revenue Fund
Report of Operational Costs and Related Revenue 2006

Revenue

Resident Payments (Room & Board Received Jan. - Dec. 2006)	381,968.66
Room & Board Received in 2005 for 2006	8,242.35
Medicare Part D Related Revenue	1,046.76
Miscellaneous Income 2006	1,479.50
Less: Refunds	163.50
Resident Payments (2005 Receivables)	9,318.82
Resident Payments (2007 Receivables)	6,057.61
Resident Personal Accounts Revenue (billings) 2006	672.00
Personal Accounts Revenue (allowances)	3,360.00
Community Integration/Special Care Revenue	1,000.00

Receivables 12/31/2006

State of New Hampshire (NH Medicaid-HCBC) Receivables	10,287.79
Residents Personal Items & Community Integration Receivables	56.00

Total Revenue & Receivables 2006	\$392,573.13
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Expenditures

Operational Costs - Budget 2006 (see Budget Report)	352,366.60
Resident Personal Accounts Expenses	1,214.22
Resident Medicare Part D Related Expenses	1,046.76
Community Integration/Special Care	892.27
Personal Allowances Remitted	2,688.00

Total Expenditures 2006	\$358,207.85
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Special Revenue Fund Gain (Loss) 12/31/2006	\$34,365.28
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Other Funds Available for Benefit of the Carpenter Home

Balance Available Carpenter Home Expendable Trust	\$25,336.45
Balance of Income Available in Other Trust Accounts	\$74,218.00
Income Generated during 2006 by Other Trust Accounts	\$26,663.89

MOUNT CAESAR UNION LIBRARY

The library saw a rather tumultuous year in 2006 with many staff changes and much growth. A new library director was hired in March to replace interim director Darcy Doyle, who supported the library through 15 months following Sue McPhail's health leave. Darcy is happily retired but still shows up as a volunteer and friend. At last notice, Sue was doing well, but advised for health reasons to not return to the public sphere. In April, beloved longtime library assistant Robbin Armstrong died. Her spot can be filled but she will never be replaced. In the summer, Andrea Farnsworth and Delorma Morton were hired as library assistant and library aide. Andrea is still here, but sadly, Delorma encountered a chronic health situation that disabled her from the job. Melinda Doolittle has been hired as the new aide and hopefully 2007 will see the current staff line-up holding steady.

The Friends of the Library held many successful parties for the children, with the usual focus on the younger children, but also with new offerings for the older grade schoolers. A Lemony Snicket Party was held in October to celebrate the publication of a showing of the movie made from the series. The purchase of a movie performance license by the library made this showing possible and it is hoped that many more community movie activities will be forthcoming.

The library received a new furnace and for the first time in history, air conditioning. The heat and air will be extended to the second floor so that space will be much more available for community activities. A six-week infant sign language class was held with 20 students in attendance. The class was taught by patron Ana Gonzalez and an article about the class was published in the Keene Sentinel.

The library currently has two public access computer terminals which have seen a tripling in usage during 2006. January of 2007 will bring new computers with Windows Vista which will provide more security and reliability.

Thank you to all who donated their time, energy, and books to the Mt. Caesar Library.

Respectfully submitted,
Cadigan Gregory, Library Director

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday & Wednesday 2:00 pm-8:00 pm.
Thursday & Friday 10:00 am-5:00 pm.
Saturday 11:00 am-4:00 pm.
Sunday 11:00 am-3:00 pm

603-357-0456

MT. CAESAR UNION LIBRARY ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S REPORT		
January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006		
INCOME	Town Appropriation	52,611.00
	Trust Fund, Town of Swanzezy	19,000.00
	Investment Income	2,631.00
	Fines & Fees	767.00
	Fund-raising	3,773.00
	Donations, Memorial, Rotary	2,700.00
Total Income		\$ 81,482.00 *
EXPENDITURES		
Operations:	Books, Magazines, etc.	9,258.00
	Computer Expense	495.00
	Supplies	1,460.00
	Community Programs	545.00
	Dues, Other	60.00
Facility:	Insurance	2,035.00
	Security	3,823.00
	Utilities	6,388.00
	Repairs	249.00
	Custodian/Shoveling	1,440.00
	Special Projects	21,710.00 **
Other Expenses:	Mileage Expense	274.00
	Advertising	144.00
	Subcontract Expense	50.00
	Misc. Expense	320.00
	Postage, Shipping	118.00
	Seminars & Education	125.00
Payroll:	Librarian	17,682.00
	Asst. Librarian	4,695.00
	Librarian Aides	3,725.00
	Payroll Taxes	7,015.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$ 81,611.00
NET INCOME		\$ (129.00)

Respectfully Submitted,
Christine Betts, Treasurer

***Extraordinary Item**

In the summer of 2006, the library received a one time bequest from an anonymous summer resident donor in the amount of \$35,000. This amount is not included in the results of operations and will be used for further improvements to the building including new windows, roof repair/replacement, new lighting etc.

****Special Projects**

During 2006, many improvements were made to the facility including a new boiler, heat and air conditioning for both floors, repairs to the roof and outside of the building and updating of electrical wiring.

STRATTON FREE LIBRARY

We were glad to report that patron visits and circulation had increased again this past year. There were 2,114 visits to the library and 60 new patrons were added. A total of 3,099 books, periodicals, audio books, and videos were circulated throughout the year.

In July we displayed Denman Thompson and the "Old Homestead" memorabilia from the collection of Eddie Calkins who donated his collection to the library.

Our summer reading program, "Treasure Reading", had six faithful readers. They earned gift certificates to the Toadstool Bookshop and free ice cream cones from Twinkle Town.

Our former assistant librarian and trustee, Fran Esteves, passed away on January 18, 2006. She is greatly missed at the library and by all who knew her. Our new assistant librarian is Roberta Paine who was a former volunteer at the library.

Becky Streeter volunteered to do some story times which was much enjoyed by the children who attended.

Our trustees are: Ruth S. Pratt, Chair; Alan Collette, Vice-Chair; Susan Ells, Secretary; Jennifer Gomarolo, Treasurer; Robert Kenney and Arthur Boufford.

Each month new books are purchased, please come in and check them out.

Library Hours

Tuesday 2:30 pm-8:00 pm

Thursday 2:30 pm-8:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Haley, Librarian

STRATTON FREE LIBRARY TREASURER'S REPORT		
January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006		
INCOME	Town Appropriation	29,830.00
	Investment Income	2,542.75
	Copies & Fines	173.59
	Donations	385.00
	Total Income 2006	\$32,931.34
EXPENDITURES	Books & Publications	4,824.32
	Computer Expenses	1,606.92
	Insurance	1,764.25
	Miscellaneous	1,767.02
	Payroll	15,339.99
	Repairs & Maintenance	1,944.55
	Supplies	2,348.40
	Utilities	2,014.43
Total Expenditures 2006		\$31,609.88
NET INCOME 2006		\$1,321.46

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer Gomarolo, Treasurer

SWANZEY RECREATION COMMITTEE

This past year has been busy with a variety of activities and fun for everyone.

The Easter Bunny had help from the Monadnock Regional freshman class who stuffed and hid over 2,500 eggs for our annual the Easter egg hunt. We had approximately 125 little ones for the hunt and a visit with the Bunny. The hunt was a great success and all who participated enjoyed the event.

Summer camp was busy and the weather was great. We had an average of 70 campers each week. Swimming lessons went well with the help of swim instructor Wendy Chamberlin. Again we offered a favorite project for the campers. The campers love to tie dye and they brought shirts, socks, and anything else they could think to be dyed with great enthusiasm.

Free ice skating was again offered to all on selected dates at the ice arena. The turnout was good.

Again, we assisted the Carpenter Home in decorating for the holidays with wreaths and poinsettias for the Christmas season. Please stop by and visit the home anytime. You are always welcome.

The committee is always looking for new ideas and help so please stop to see us anytime.

Respectfully submitted,
Judy Bohannon, Chair



Recreation Park from Wilson Pond, Keene, NH

BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN PATHWAYS COMMITTEE

This past year has seen us in more of a “planning” than a “construction/maintenance” mode. We started with an effort to compile a database of regional information with a view toward pooling information, ideas, and resources with other towns and organizations. We were greatly assisted by the Southwest Regional Planning Commission who actually wound up doing the lions share of the work. After the initial database was compiled, Antioch New England took over the reins of the program and created the Monadnock Region Trails and Pathways group that is now actively moving towards a regionalized effort to maintain and improve our priceless trail system.

We have recently begun a feasibility study with the City of Keene to create a new trail along the Rte. 32/airport corridor that would eventually link the Ashuelot and Cheshire trails through Swanzey.

We look forward to a more active work program in 2007 through both funding of the NH DOT Transportation Enhancement Grant and resumption of our “weekend work parties.”

We have come a long way but there is much more to do. Therefore, we are always looking for more volunteers-either as committee members or “worker bees.” Please give us a call.

Respectfully submitted,
Dave Krisch, Chair



Swanzey Pond, Spragueville

OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

Conservation Easements: Tools for Preserving Open Space

The best way to maintain the rural character of our town, Open Space Committee members believe, is with the protection of conservation easements. A conservation easement involves a voluntary transaction between a landowner and a land trust. The landowner continues to own the land privately, and retains the right to sell, or leave the land to an heir. The easement permits uses such as agriculture and forestry, but restricts uses like subdivision and development. The protections of a conservation easement are forever - they "run with the land" - and apply to all future landowners. A land trust takes on the perpetual responsibility for enforcing the easement.

Conservation easements can be flexible, and need not apply to every acre of a landowners' property. Often, an easement intentionally excludes certain areas from the easement's restrictions, including lots that may be built upon or sold for development.

Conservation easements may be sold or donated. In the case of donation, a landowner may be entitled to significant tax benefits. (These benefits can be especially generous for farmers.) For some Swanzey residents, outright donations of land or easements may not be possible, while others might need help paying transaction costs. The Town's land acquisition capital reserve fund was established in 1988 to finance purchase of conservation parcels, as well as to offset legal fees and surveying costs associated with establishing conservation easements.

During the past year, the Open Space Committee has been working with several landowners who are interested in permanently protecting their land. As our list of successful transactions grows, so does our appreciation of the amount of time required to complete a transaction. We encourage interested landowners to begin exploring conservation options at their earliest possible convenience.

Please contact any Open Space Committee member with thoughts and ideas about important undeveloped land in town, and about maintaining Swanzey's rural character. The Committee meets from 5:00 to 6:30 pm on the second Tuesday of the month, and the public is always welcome.

Respectfully submitted,
Committee Members

Suzanne Whittemore & Katherine Feist, Co-Chairs
Victoria Barlow, Deb Crowder, Jeanne Thieme, Bud Winsor, and
Nancy Carlson, Selectmen's Representative



SWANZEY HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Our museum volunteers were extremely busy this year. In the spring, Bob Secord donated new display cases that enabled us to create interesting exhibits in the basement area. This allowed us to keep the exhibits in a safer and cleaner environment. Bob also donated bookcases that allowed us to put our collection of photographs and research materials together on the main floor.

In the beginning of 2006, goals were set for the year and many of them were accomplished. The museum was painted, ultraviolet filters were installed on all of the windows, the office space was reconfigured, a large bookcase was covered with plexiglass, and locks were installed on most of the bookcases. Pictures were de-framed, cleaned, repaired and sleeved to be put into photo albums, and other pictures were de-framed, cleaned and re-framed using acid free materials.

We were able to create new exhibits with contributions from the Scarlet Marauders and donations of baseball and softball uniforms from the West Swanzy Athletic Association.

The museum received an oil painting by Eileen Descoteau depicting a scene from the "Old Homestead", two paintings by Lee Carter were donated, another one from Edwin C. Hopkins, and a fifth painting by Forest A. Thompson from the VFW Post in West Swanzy. A signature quilt done by the Baptist Church members as a going away gift to their minister was also donated to the museum.

We are very grateful for our dedicated staff of volunteers. Our collections would not be cleaned and preserved or the museum be able to open without these special people. The museum can always use more help and we would urge anyone who has a little time to spare to contact either Mary Faulkner at 352-4486 or Jo Gregory at 352-7268.

Respectfully submitted,
Jo Gregory
Eileen Wheelock
Ernest Perry
Ernest Guilbeault
Mary Faulkner

VETERANS' COUNCIL EXPENDITURES

Band (MRHS)	\$ 300.00
Flags	397.44
Facilities & Refreshments	300.00
Guest Speakers	<u>25.00</u>
Total	\$1,022.44

Note: Town appropriation funds Swanzey's Memorial Day and Veterans Day Tributes.

Respectfully submitted,
James H. Devine, II



WEST SWANZEY SIDEWALK COMMITTEE

There were no sidewalks repaired during last year. However, there are sidewalks scheduled for repair on South Winchester Street and Homestead Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,
Gordon Ayotte, Chair

Allen Hood
Ernest Perry
Marjorie Read
Pauline Cheney
Lena Whipple
J. Michael Gomarlo
Marion Bedard

2007 Warrant

Town of Swanze State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Swanze in the State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in Town affairs:

FIRST SESSION

You are hereby notified to meet for the First (Deliberative) Session of the annual Town Meeting, to be held at the Monadnock Regional High School/Middle School Auditorium, Swanze, NH on **Tuesday, the sixth day of February 2007 at seven in the evening (7:00 p.m.)**. The First Deliberative Session will consist of explanation, discussion, debate of articles and will afford those voters who are present the opportunity to propose, debate and adopt amendments to each warrant article, except election of officers and those whose wording is prescribed by State Law.

SECOND SESSION

You are also notified to meet for the Second Session of the annual Town Meeting on **Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March 2007, at the Christian Life Fellowship Church, 211 Whitcomb Road, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.** to vote by official ballot to elect town officers, to vote by official ballot on warrant articles as they may have been amended at the First Session and those other official ballot questions whose wording is prescribed by State Law.

Article 1 To choose by ballot all necessary town officers including 2 Selectmen, a Town Treasurer, 2 Trustees of the Trust Funds, a Board of Adjustment member, 2 Planning Board members, 2 Old Home Day Committee members, a Library Trustee and a Sewer Commissioner.

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$ 4,911,487? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$4,903,856, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the town or by law or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

Article 3 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 631,500 to be placed in the following expendable trust and capital reserve accounts of the Town:

Expendable Trust Funds	Amount	Capital Reserve Funds	Amount
Town Hall Improvements	\$30,000	Fire Trucks	\$75,000
Town Hall Computers	\$15,000	Future Fire Station	\$75,000
Revaluations & Updates	\$35,000	Highway & Cemetery Equipment	\$62,500
Police Facility Improvements	\$5,000	Town Bridges	\$30,000
Fire Station Maintenance	\$10,000	Covered Bridges	\$10,000
Fire Tools & Equipment	\$10,000	Town owned Dams	\$5,000
Emergency Communications	\$20,000	Recreation Facilities Improvements	\$15,000
Road Rehab. & Reconstruction	\$145,000	Recycling Center Improvements	\$10,000
DPW Facility Improvements	\$20,000	Mt. Caesar Union Library	\$4,000
Cemetery Expansion & Layout	\$3,000	Conservation Land Acquisition	\$50,000
Stratton Free Library	\$2,000		

or take any action thereon. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to change the purpose of the capital reserve fund established for future construction or major repairs/maintenance to the Mt. Caesar Union Library to an expendable trust fund, subject to the provisions of RSA 31:19-a, for maintenance and improvements to the Mt. Caesar Union Library appointing the Selectmen as agents to expend the fund, or take any action thereon.

(RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN/MT. CAESAR UNION LIBRARY TRUSTEES
2/3 vote required)

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 42,400 to hire and equip an additional police officer beginning in April 2007, or take any action thereon. If approved by voters, the full annual cost of this position estimated at \$58,000 will be included in the town's operating budget in 2008. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

Article 6 To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting, or take any action thereon.

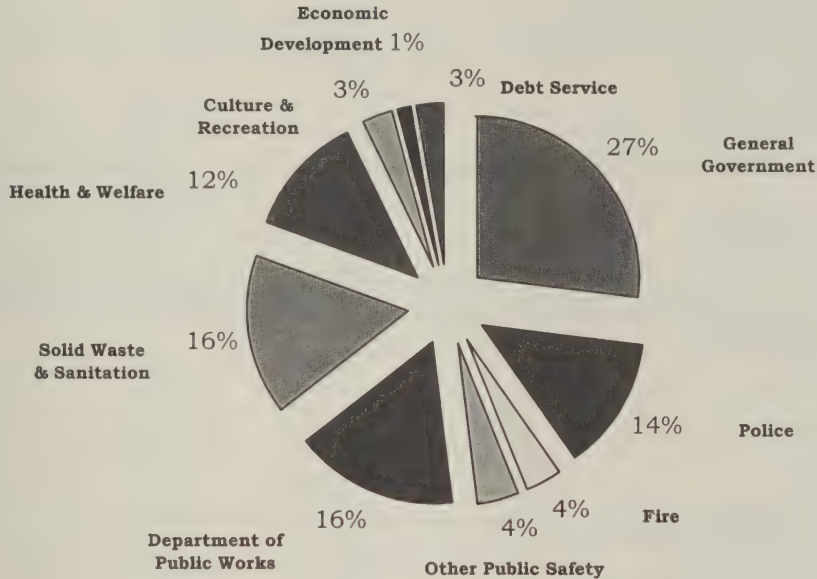
Given under our hand and seal this twenty-fourth day of January in the year of our Lord two thousand seven.

Deborah J. Davis
Bruce L. Tatro
Nancy L. Carlson
Selectmen of Swanzy

A true copy – Attest:

Deborah J. Davis
Bruce L. Tatro
Nancy L. Carlson
Selectmen of Swanzy

2007 Recommended Town Operating Budget excluding individual articles



Purpose of Appropriation	Approved 2006	Expended 2006	Recommended 2007
General Government	1,223,711	1,066,367	1,319,740
Police Department	636,830	626,192	664,730
Fire Department	156,870	159,579	171,580
Other Public Safety	295,282	292,236	203,770
Department of Public Works	757,963	753,343	799,965
Solid Waste & Sanitation	747,856	681,983	796,595
Health & Welfare	566,588	545,648	599,790
Culture, Conservation & Recreation	148,891	134,185	153,692
Economic Development	70,832	69,332	68,800
Debt Service	142,882	139,382	132,825
Recommended Operating Budget	\$4,747,705	\$4,468,247	\$4,911,487
Individual Articles	50,000	0	42,400
Reserves & Trusts	576,775	576,775	631,500
Total Recommended Appropriations	\$5,374,480	\$5,045,022	\$5,585,387

RECOMMENDED BUDGET 2007 - TOWN OF SWANZEY, N.H.

Purpose of Appropriation	Approved 2006	Expended 2006	Recommended 2007
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Executive	94,570	91,635	98,835
Elections, Registrations & Vital Statistics	83,768	78,142	80,725
Financial Administration	107,255	99,638	118,115
Reappraisal of Property	35,550	35,655	39,625
Legal & Professional Services	94,110	81,735	96,955
Personel Administration	163,135	146,229	186,800
Land Use Boards	109,258	102,641	117,100
General Government Bdgs	18,750	17,716	19,715
Insurance	479,990	380,501	524,100
Other General Government	37,325	32,475	37,770
PUBLIC SAFETY			
Police Department	636,830	626,192	664,730
Fire Department	156,870	159,579	171,580
OTHER PUBLIC SAFETY			
Special Duty Police	10,000	28,038	10,000
School Resource Officer	69,595	67,352	72,665
Prosecution Services	155,175	137,907	63,070
Special Duty Fire	1,500	11,298	1,500
Ambulance Service	29,436	29,000	30,000
Emergency Management	29,576	18,641	26,535
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS			
Highways, Streets & Bridges	635,625	629,825	682,920
Cemetery, Parks & Facilities Maintenance	101,238	102,826	94,945
Street Lighting	19,000	19,592	20,000
Dams	2,100	1,100	2,100
SANITATION & SOLID WASTE			
Recycling Center	372,550	340,234	375,525
Sewer Commission	375,306	341,749	421,070
HEALTH & WELFARE			
Health Officer	4,278	3,330	4,665
Animal Control	10,000	7,300	10,060
Health & Welfare Agencies	51,035	51,063	54,245
General Assistance	134,300	131,588	136,100
Carpenter Home	366,975	352,367	394,720
CULTURE, CONSERVATION & RECREATION			
Libraries	85,441	84,538	88,342
Memorial & Old Home Day	6,000	4,735	6,000
Open Space Committee	4,525	2,141	6,575
Recreation Committee	52,925	42,771	52,775
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT			
Swanzey Revenue Development District	70,832	69,332	68,800

Purpose of Appropriation	Approved 2006	Expended 2006	Recommended 2007
DEBT SERVICE			
Principal - Long term Bonds	90,614	90,614	89,960
Interest - Long term Bonds	48,768	48,768	39,365
Tax Anticipation Note Interest	3,500	-	3,500
RECOMMENDED OPERATING BUDGET	\$4,747,705	\$4,468,247	\$4,911,487

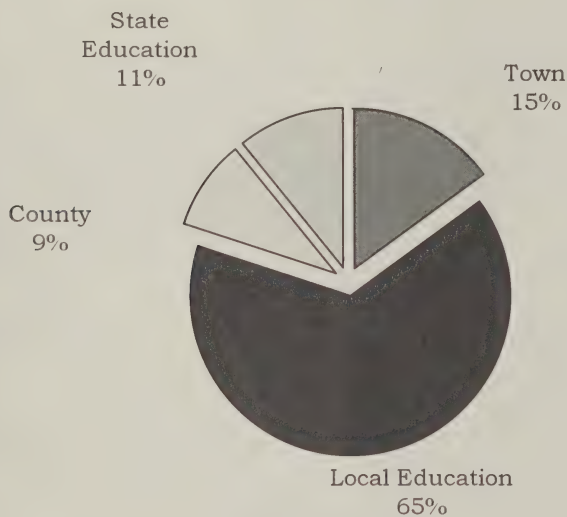
INDIVIDUAL & SPECIAL WARRANT ARTICLES	Approved 2006	Expended 2006	Recommended 2007
Individual & Special Articles			
Additional Full Time Police Officer (April 2007)	-	-	42,400
Thompson Bridge Scour	50,000	-	-
Cap. Reserve & Expendable Trust Funds	576,775	576,775	631,500
TOTAL RECOMMENDED APPROPRIATIONS	\$5,374,480	\$5,045,022	\$5,585,387

ESTIMATED REVENUES (EXCLUDING PROPERTY TAXES)	Estimated 2006	Actual 2006	Estimated 2007
TAX COLLECTOR			
Land Use Change Taxes	45,000	19,400	100,000
Yield Taxes	25,000	19,597	25,000
Interest & Penalties on Taxes	80,000	99,359	80,000
Excavation Taxes	3,500	3,721	3,500
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE			
Shared Revenue	311,037	335,822	330,000
Highway Grant	156,609	156,609	151,699
Water Pollution Grant (WS System)	12,271	12,271	11,973
Water Pollution Grant (NS System)	-	-	65,000
Forest Fires	500	1,000	1,000
School Resource Officer	68,665	71,165	72,665
Regional Prosecution	120,327	104,787	27,967
LICENSES & PERMITS			
Vehicle Registrations	1,080,000	1,112,379	1,100,000
Dog Licenses & Dog Fines	8,000	8,841	8,000
Town Clerk Licenses & Permits	30,000	30,220	30,000
Building Permits	45,000	64,557	50,000
Event & Other Permits	2,000	2,545	2,000
INCOME FROM DEPARTMENTS			
General Government	4,000	8,298	4,000
Land Use Boards	10,000	14,352	10,000
Police & Animal Control	12,000	12,183	12,000
Special Duty Police	10,000	39,962	10,000
Fire Department	800	793	800
Special Duty Fire	1,500	11,034	1,500
Emergency Management	15,500	9,839	15,500
Highways, Streets & Bridges	5,000	7,052	5,000
Cemeteries	8,000	9,325	8,000
Recycling Center	85,000	94,106	85,000
Recreation & Old Home Day Cttee	30,000	30,610	30,000
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE			
Interest on Deposits	180,000	221,072	180,000
Sale of Town Property	5,000	5,000	3,000
Repayment of General Assistance	4,000	4,571	2,000
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	16,000	16,090	16,000
OTHER FINANCING			
Income from Sewer Department	363,035	363,035	344,097
Carpenter Home Special Revenue Fund	366,975	387,485	394,720
Swanzy Revenue Development District	70,832	69,332	68,800
Trust Fund Withdrawals	4,500	6,409	5,000
Fund Balance	600,000	600,000	600,000
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUES	\$3,780,051	\$3,952,821	\$3,854,221
TOTAL RECOMMENDED APPROPRIATIONS	\$5,585,387		
LESS ESTIMATED REVENUES	\$3,854,221		
NET RECOMMENDED APPROPRIATIONS	\$1,731,166		

Tax Rate & Commitments 2006

Tax Rate Information	2004 Tax Rate	2005 Tax Rate	2006 Tax Rate	2006 Commitment
Town Rate	3.46	3.40	3.55	\$1,649,838
Local Education Tax Rate	14.48	15.62	15.33	\$7,146,509
County Rate	2.14	2.02	2.19	\$1,022,485
State Education Rate	2.87	2.81	2.56	\$1,186,892
Total Town Wide Tax Rate	\$22.95	\$23.85	\$23.63	\$11,005,724
NS Water & Fire Precinct	0.75	0.65	0.76	\$55,451
Perry Lane Lighting Precinct	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

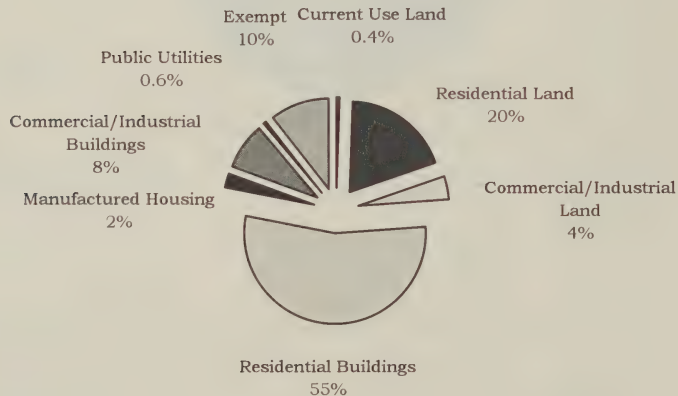
Tax Rate 2006



Summary of Assessed Valuation 2006

Breakdown of Assessed Valuation	Town of Swansey	NS Water & Fire	Perry Ln Light
Current Use Land	2,010,779	20,482	0
Residential Land	99,171,400	15,580,630	0
Commercial/Industrial Land	21,997,998	3,518,700	0
Residential Buildings	283,902,510	39,281,110	4,344,300
Manufactured Housing	12,614,000	233,100	0
Commercial/Industrial Buildings	44,921,421	14,149,200	0
Public Utilities	3,285,621	448,500	0
Total Value Before Statutory Exemptions	\$467,903,729	\$73,231,722	\$4,344,300
EXEMPTIONS			
Certain Disabled Veterans	250,600	0	0
Blind Exemptions	144,400	30,000	0
Elderly Exemptions	1,377,200	240,000	30,000
Solar Exemptions	23,440	0	0
Total Value of Statutory Exemptions	\$1,795,640	\$270,000	\$30,000
Exempt Land (not included above)	16,122,602	7,442,700	0
Exempt Buildings (not included above)	37,287,279	13,347,000	0
NET VALUATION LOCAL TAX RATES	\$466,108,089	\$72,961,722	\$4,314,300
NET VALUATION STATE EDUCATION RATE (less utilities)			\$462,822,468

Breakdown of 2006 Assessed Value





Page Homestead Farm 1940s

NORTH SWANZEY WATER & FIRE PRECINCT

2006 marked the first year of the bond payment on the Wilson Pond Project. This was funded by a combination of reserves held in anticipation of that funding requirement and increased revenues from the new water rate structure.

Work on replacing our old obsolete water meters with new remote reading meters proceeded during 2006 and was mainly funded by a grant from Rural Development. The area covered was primarily that encompassed by the Wilson Pond project. We are planning to continue this replacement program in 2007 in other precinct areas. The new meters provide a much more accurate measure of usage as well as saving much meter reading time.

In addition, planning also continues on upgrading the water infrastructure in other parts of town covered by the Precinct-generally east of Rte. 12.

Cooperation between Town staff, Public Works personnel and Precinct staff continues to be excellent with users and both entities benefiting from the good service.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert A. Beauregard, Chair
Fred R. Pitcher, Sylvester R. Karasinski
North Swanze Water & Fire Precinct Commissioners

NORTH SWANZEY WATER & FIRE PRECINCT MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING 2006

The annual meeting of the North Swanze Water and Fire Precinct was duly called and held at the Swanze Town Hall on March 21, 2006 at 7:00 pm.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Mark Lawrence. Mr. Lawrence read the warrant for the meeting and the return of the posting thereon. There were a total of six precinct members present including Chairman Robert Beauregard, Commissioner Sylvester Karasinski, Commissioner Fred R. Pitcher, Moderator Mark Lawrence. Superintendent William Snyder and Supervisor of the Checklist Ruth Snyder were also in attendance.

Article 1. The following officers were elected:

Water Commissioner-3 years

Moderator-1 year

Secretary/Treasurer-3 years

Robert A. Beauregard

Mark Lawrence

Linda Truehart

Article 2. The Precinct voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$233,743 to defray expenses incidental to the business of the Precinct.

Article 3. The Precinct voted to raise and appropriate the sum \$4,300 to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund for water lines.

Article 4. The Precinct voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund for equipment.

Article 5. The Precinct voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to be placed in the Expendable Trust Fund for Water Rate Stabilization.

Article 6. There was a short discussion on general matters concerning the Precinct.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, on a motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned at 7:09 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Sylvester Karasinski, Commissioner

**NORTH SWANZEY WATER & FIRE PRECINCT
RECOMMENDED BUDGET 2007**

Revenues	Received 2006	Estimated 2007
From Taxes	\$ 55,451	\$ 55,000
From Water Rents	235,069	196,100
Transfers from Capital Reserve	33,000	31,500
Hydrant Rentals	10,970	11,250
Service Income	2,688	2,500
Fund Balance	-	9,349
Interest Income	2,019	1,200
Miscellaneous Income	29,324	2,500
Revenue Sharing	536	500
Total Revenues	\$ 369,057	\$ 309,899

Operating Expenditures	Expended 2006	Recommended 2007
Water purchases	\$ 65,268	\$ 122,240
Hydrant rentals	26,426	22,500
Truck expenses	1,402	2,200
Maintenance		
Lines	76,262	10,000
Building	634	1,000
Equipment	2,672	500
Service	2,045	2,500
Capital reserve project	-	31,500
Utilities	1,138	1,500
Insurance	1,715	2,000
Legal and accounting	4,125	5,000
Office expense	263	500
Billing software maintenance	2,360	2,500
Uniforms and rags	1,773	1,600
Payroll taxes	2,200	3,500
Telephone	1,998	1,800
License and permits	253	300
Payroll	40,583	43,160
Payroll capital reserve projects	-	-
Water test	2,560	2,500
Postage	511	600
Printing	70	500
Association dues	245	300
Depreciation	973	-
Wilson Pond Debt Service - Principal	21,690	21,690
Wilson Pond Debt Service - Interest	24,054	23,709
Total Operating Expenditures	\$ 281,219	\$ 303,599
Capital Reserve Funds & Expendable Trusts		
Water lines Capital Reserve	\$ 4,300	\$ 4,300
Equipment Capital Reserve	2,000	2,000
Water Rate Stabilization	25,000	-
Total Reserve Funds & Trusts	\$ 31,300	\$ 6,300
Total Recommended Appropriations	\$ 312,519	\$ 309,899

**NORTH SWANZEY WATER & FIRE PRECINCT BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 2006**

<u>ASSETS</u>	Operations	<u>Capital Reserve Funds</u>		Expendable Trust	Wilson Pond Project Fund	Total
		Lines	Equipment	Water Rate Stabilization		
CURRENT ASSETS						
Cash	\$ 108,191	\$ 118,793	\$ 25,012	\$ 77,339	\$ 270	\$ 329,605
Accounts receivable	56,321	-	-	-	-	56,321
Due from (to) other fund	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inventory	6,655	-	-	-	-	6,655
Total Current Assets	\$171,167	\$118,793	\$25,012	\$77,339	\$270	\$392,581
PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT						
Land	1,000	-	-	-	-	1,000
Building	6,049	-	-	-	-	6,049
Equipment	14,683	-	-	-	-	14,683
Pipe lines	143,827	-	-	-	-	143,827
Vehicles	21,034	-	-	-	-	21,034
	186,593	-	-	-	-	186,593
Less: accumulated depreciation	184,851	-	-	-	-	184,851
	1,742	-	-	-	-	1,742
	\$ 172,909	\$ 118,793	\$ 25,012	\$ 77,339	\$ 270	\$ 394,322
<u>LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES</u>						
CURRENT LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$ 30,976	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 30,976
Payroll taxes payable	1,969	-	-	-	-	1,969
Accrued Interest	-	-	-	-	6,039	6,039
Total Current Liabilities	32,945	-	-	-	6,039	38,984
<u>LONG TERM DEBT</u>						
Note Payable- USDA Rural Dev.	-	-	-	-	585,610	585,610
FUND BALANCES						
Unrestricted	139,964	-	-	-	-	139,964
Capital reserve fund - water lines	-	118,793	-	-	-	118,793
Capital reserve fund - equipment	-	-	25,012	-	-	25,012
Expendable trust - water rate stabilization	-	-	-	77,339	-	77,339
Wilson Pond Project Fund	-	-	-	-	(591,379)	(591,379)
	\$139,964	\$118,793	\$25,012	\$77,339	-\$591,379	-\$230,272
	\$ 172,909	\$ 118,793	\$ 25,012	\$ 77,339	\$ 270	\$ 394,323

NORTH SWANZEY WATER & FIRE PRECINCT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

		<u>Capital Reserve</u>		<u>Expendable Trust</u>	<u>Wilson Pond</u>	
<u>REVENUES</u>	<u>Operations</u>	<u>Lines</u>	<u>Equipment</u>	<u>Water Rate Stabilization</u>	<u>Project Fund</u>	<u>Total</u>
Water rents	\$ 235,069	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 235,069
Tax receipts	55,451	-	-	-	-	55,451
Hydrant rentals	10,970	-	-	-	-	10,970
Customer service income	2,688	-	-	-	-	2,688
Miscellaneous	29,324	-	-	-	-	29,324
Revenue sharing	536	-	-	-	-	536
Interest income	2,019	5,488	1,045	2,411	104	11,067
NH Revolving Fund & USDA RD	-	-	-	-	56,082	56,082
Total revenues	\$ 336,057	\$ 5,488	\$ 1,045	\$ 2,411	\$ 56,186	\$ 401,187
<u>EXPENDITURES</u>						
Water purchases	65,268	-	-	-	-	65,268
Hydrant rentals	26,426	-	-	-	-	26,426
Truck expenses	1,402	-	-	-	-	1,402
Maintenance - lines	76,262	-	-	-	-	76,262
Maintenance - building	634	-	-	-	-	634
Maintenance - equipment	2,672	-	-	-	-	2,672
Customer service	2,045	-	-	-	-	2,045
Utilities	1,138	-	-	-	-	1,138
Insurance	1,715	-	-	-	-	1,715
Legal and accounting	4,125	-	-	-	-	4,125
Office expense	263	-	-	-	-	263
Billing software maintenance	2,360	-	-	-	-	2,360
Uniforms and rags	1,773	-	-	-	-	1,773
Payroll taxes	2,199	-	-	-	-	2,199
Telephone	1,998	-	-	-	-	1,998
Licenses and permits	253	-	-	-	-	253
Wages	40,583	-	-	-	-	40,583
Water tests	2,560	-	-	-	-	2,560
Postage	511	-	-	-	-	511
Printing	70	-	-	-	-	70
Association dues	245	-	-	-	-	245
Depreciation	973	-	-	-	-	973
Interest-Wilson Pond Project	-	-	-	-	24,054	24,054
Repayment to NH Revolving Loan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilson Pond Project expenditures	-	-	-	-	84,407	84,407
Total Expenditures	\$ 235,475	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 108,461	\$ 343,936
<u>TRANSFERS</u>						
To capital reserve fund - lines	(4,300)	4,300	-	-	-	-
To capital reserve fund - equipment	(2,000)	-	2,000	-	-	-
To expendable trust - water rate stabilization	(24,600)	-	-	24,600	-	-
Total Transfers	\$ (30,900)	\$ 4,300	\$ 2,000	\$ 24,600	\$ -	\$ -
Excess of Revenue over Expenses & Transfers	\$ 69,682	\$ 9,788	\$ 3,045	\$ 27,011	\$ (52,275)	\$ 57,251

**Long Term General Obligation Debt Issued
North Swanzy Water & Fire Precinct - December 31, 2006**

Year	Purpose of Indebtedness		Total Payments
	North Swanzey Water & Fire Precinct (4.125%)		
	Principal	Interest	
2007	21,690	23,709	\$45,399
2008	21,690	22,814	\$44,504
2009	21,690	21,919	\$43,609
2010	21,690	21,025	\$42,715
2011	21,690	20,130	\$41,820
2012	21,690	19,235	\$40,925
2013	21,690	18,341	\$40,031
2014	21,690	18,346	\$40,036
2015	21,690	16,551	\$38,241
2016	21,690	15,657	\$37,347
2017	21,690	14,762	\$36,452
2018	21,690	13,867	\$35,557
2019	21,690	12,973	\$34,663
2020	21,690	12,078	\$33,768
2021	21,690	11,183	\$32,873
2022	21,690	10,289	\$31,979
2023	21,690	9,394	\$31,084
2024	21,690	8,499	\$30,189
2025	21,690	7,604	\$29,294
2026	21,690	6,709	\$28,399
2027	21,690	5,815	\$27,505
2028	21,690	4,920	\$26,610
2029	21,690	4,025	\$25,715
2030	21,690	3,131	\$24,821
2031	21,690	2,236	\$23,926
2032	21,690	1,341	\$23,031
2033	21,670	447	\$22,117
Totals	\$585,610	\$327,000	\$912,610

Comparative Statement of Receipts, Receivables and Expenditures 2006

Line Items	Appropriations 2006	Receipts, inc. Acct. Receivable & Reimbursements	Amount Available	Expended 2006	Available Balance (Overdraft)
General Government	1,223,711	22,649.89	1,223,711.00	1,066,367.34	157,343.66
Police Department	636,830	12,182.81	636,830.00	626,192.04	10,637.96
Fire Department	156,870	793.21	156,870.00	159,578.81	(2,708.81)
Special Duty Police	10,000	40,237.50	40,237.50	28,038.27	12,199.23
School Resource Officer	69,595	67,352.40	69,595.00	67,352.40	2,242.60
Regional Prosecutor	155,175	106,937.00	155,175.00	137,906.98	17,268.02
Special Duty Fire	1,500	11,034.00	11,034.00	11,297.83	(263.83)
Ambulance Service	29,436	0.00	29,436.00	29,000.00	436.00
Emergency Management	29,576	9,630.97	29,576.00	18,641.12	10,934.88
Highways, Streets & Bridges	635,625	7,051.91	680,850.28	629,824.60	51,025.68
Cemeteries & Parks	101,238	9,325.00	101,238.00	102,825.65	(1,587.65)
Street & Bridge Lights	19,000	0.00	19,000.00	19,592.32	(592.32)
Dams	2,100	0.00	2,100.00	1,100.00	1,000.00
Recycling Center	372,550	92,688.39	372,550.00	340,234.39	32,315.61
Sewer Commission	375,306	0.00	375,306.00	341,748.92	33,557.08
Health Officer	4,278	0.00	4,278.00	3,329.69	948.31
Animal Control	10,000	0.00	10,000.00	7,300.28	2,699.72
Health Agencies	51,035	0.00	51,035.00	51,063.25	(28.25)
General Assistance	134,300	4,558.88	134,300.00	131,587.51	2,712.49
Carpenter Home Operating Expenses	366,975	387,485.13	387,485.13	352,366.60	35,118.53
Libraries	85,441	0.00	85,441.00	84,537.70	903.30
Old Home Day/Memorial Day	6,000	0.00	6,000.00	4,735.00	1,265.00
Open Space Committee	4,525	0.00	4,525.00	2,141.04	2,383.96
Recreation	52,925	32,940.00	52,925.00	42,770.64	10,154.36
Swansey Rev. Development District	70,832	0.00	70,832.00	69,332.48	1,499.52
Debt Service	142,882	0.00	142,882.00	139,381.93	3,500.07
Thompson Bridge Scour	50,000	0.00	50,000.00	0.00	50,000.00
Capital Reserve & Expendable Trusts	576,775	0.00	576,775.00	576,775.00	0.00
<u>Withdrawn Reserves, Trusts & Grants</u>					
Town Hall Expendable Trust	0.00	6,541.75	6,541.75	6,541.75	0.00
Quarterly Data Collection	0.00	23,130.00	23,130.00	23,130.00	0.00
Homeland Security Grant	0.00	3,496.00	3,496.00	3,496.00	0.00
Police Facility Improvements	0.00	5,646.57	5,646.57	5,646.57	0.00
PD Leadership Grant	0.00	1,300.00	1,300.00	1,300.00	0.00
Fire Dept. Tools & Equipment	0.00	906.22	906.22	906.22	0.00
Fire Station Expendable Trust	0.00	6,275.51	6,275.51	6,275.51	0.00
West Street Bridge Project	0.00	824.10	824.10	824.10	0.00
NH Route 32 Sidewalk (Shoulder)	0.00	149,460.58	149,460.58	149,460.58	0.00
Road Rehab., Reclaim, Reconstruct	0.00	128,076.10	128,076.10	128,076.10	0.00
Mt. Caesar Cemetery Road	0.00	3,066.71	3,066.71	3,066.71	0.00
FEMA October 2005 Floods (DPW)	0.00	46,236.09	46,236.09	34,276.30	11,959.79
Conservation Land Acquisition	0.00	4,925.00	4,925.00	4,925.00	0.00
DPW 6-Wheeled Dump Truck	0.00	105,136.00	105,136.00	105,136.00	0.00
<u>Other Financing Sources</u>					
Land Use Professional Services	0.00	12,328.32	12,328.32	12,328.32	0.00
Pandemic Planning Grant	0.00	2,517.32	2,517.32	1,241.56	1,275.76
SRDD Improvements (Phase One)	0.00	287,264.27	287,264.27	215,720.64	71,543.63
Carpenter Home Resident Accounts	0.00	4,088.00	4,088.00	4,948.98	(860.98)
Carp. Home Programs	0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	892.27	107.73
Cemetery Trust Funds	0.00	1,075.00	1,075.00	1,075.00	0.00
Cemetery Lot Assignments	0.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00	3,000.00
Cemetery Cornerstones	0.00	1,100.00	1,100.00	1,100.00	0.00
Main Street Land Acquisition	0.00	1,350.00	1,350.00	1,553.22	(203.22)
Conservation Commission	0.00	866.27	866.27	866.27	0.00
Insurance Claims, COBRA & Retirees	0.00	4,640.28	4,640.28	4,550.28	90.00
TOTAL	\$ 5,374,480	\$1,604,476.90	\$6,279,596.72	\$5,757,808.89	\$521,787.83

GENERAL FUND DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS 2006		
FROM LOCAL TAXES	Property Taxes - Current Year (CY)	10,527,736.92
	Property Taxes - Previous Year (PY)	1,709,716.65
	Tax Liens Redeemed	333,098.52
	Land Use Change Tax (CY & PY)	29,514.69
	Yield (Timber) Taxes (CY & PY)	19,597.18
	Excavation Taxes (CY)	3,720.92
	Tax Interest/Int & Penalties-Redemptions	99,687.77
TOTAL FROM LOCAL TAXES		12,723,072.65
LICENSES & PERMITS	Motor Vehicle Registrations	1,114,076.46
	Dog Licenses & Fines	8,841.00
	Fees & Dog Escrow Remitted to State	11,485.50
	Town Clerk Fees & Licenses	30,219.81
	Building, Event & Other Permits	67,102.10
TOTAL LICENSES & PERMITS		1,231,724.87
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE	Shared Revenue	371,288.56
	Highway Block Grant	156,608.81
	NH DOT Funded Projects	217,033.55
	School Resource Officer Program	71,164.68
	Regional Prosecutor Program	104,787.22
	Forest Fire, Public Safety & Misc. Grants	11,052.55
	FEMA Disaster Relief Funds	27,271.86
TOTAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES		959,207.23
CHARGES FOR SERVICES (Income from Departments)	Police Department	12,182.81
	Recycling Center	94,105.89
	Highways, Streets & Bridges	7,051.91
	Cemeteries	9,325.00
	Fire Department	793.21
	Emergency Management	9,838.88
	General Government including Land Use	22,669.89
	Recreation Programs	30,610.00
	Special Duty Police & Fire	50,995.50
TOTAL CHARGES FOR SERVICES		237,573.09
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	Interest on Deposits (General Fund)	221,071.59
	Sale of Town Property	5,000.00
	Repayment of General Assistance/Deferrals	8,657.19
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES		234,728.78
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	Withdrawals - Various Capital Reserves & Trusts	292,758.43
	Cemetery Stone/Lot Assign./Trees/Trust Accts	11,584.29
	Reimbursement Sewer/Conservation Commissions	157,786.95
	Insurance Claims/Retirees Insurance	11,372.66
	Payments in Lieu of Taxes	23,849.10
	Carpenter Home Special Revenue Fund	384,494.92
	Carpenter Home Resident Accounts/Special Care	5,032.00
	Land Use Professional Services Reimbursed	10,101.92
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		896,980.27
TOTAL RECEIPTS RECEIVED BY TREASURER		\$16,283,286.89

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS ALL FUNDS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Executive		Elections, Registrations & Vital Statistics	
Personnel	81,189.41	Personnel	68,912.62
Local Government Center	4,137.71	Election, Registration & VS Supplies	6,688.14
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,987.14	Postage/Advertising	2,282.37
Town Report Printing	4,320.43	New Equipment	258.89
Total Executive	\$91,634.69	Total Elections, Registrations & VS	\$78,142.02
Financial Administration		Reappraisal of Property	
Personnel	85,246.61	Personnel	29,327.00
Accounting & Banking Services	12,241.48	General Expenses	227.93
Printing of Bills & New Equipment	2,150.00	Software Maintenance	6,100.00
Total Financial Administration	\$99,638.09	Total Reappraisal of Property	\$35,654.93
Legal & Professional Services		Social Security & Retirement	
Legal Services	26,108.10	FICA	59,788.21
IT Professional Services & Software	42,602.55	Medicare	20,111.36
IT Web Site/Misc. Services & Equipment	3,200.54	NH Retirement	41,870.06
Professional Services - Misc.	2,034.99	ICMA Retirement	24,459.50
Regional Planning Commission Dues	7,789.00	Total Social Security & Retirement	\$146,229.13
Legal & Professional Services	\$81,735.18	General Government Buildings	
Land Use Boards		Town Hall Janitorial Services	1,408.77
Personnel	92,305.27	Town Hall Electricity	3,460.05
Plan Recording	526.00	Town Hall Heating Fuel	2,181.59
Advertisements	2,083.68	Town Hall Building Maintenance	5,091.03
Subscriptions	681.45	Town Hall Alarm System	521.25
Postage	2,599.59	Town Hall Supplies	845.47
Supplies, Printing & Prof. Services	375.41	Whitcomb Hall Repairs & Maintenance	1,136.44
Mileage (Code Enforcement)	3,056.23	Whitcomb & Grange Hall PSNH	428.48
New Equipment	1,013.12	Covered Bridge Alarm Systems	2,643.36
Total Land Use Boards	\$102,640.75	Total General Government Buildings	\$17,716.44
Insurance		General Government Expenses	
NHMA Property & Liability Insurances	56,285.88	Tax Map Revisions	2,125.00
Health Trust, Life & STD Insurances	294,615.34	County Recording Fees	619.54
Unemployment Compensation	200.00	Telephone & Other Comm. Services	4,418.63
Worker's Compensation	29,400.22	Service Contracts	2,500.78
Total Insurance	\$380,501.44	Leased Equipment	360.00
		Training, Meetings & Conferences	3,531.60
		Advertisements	256.32
		Printing	24.00
		Dues & Subscriptions	2,918.58
		Office Supplies	5,241.20
		Postage	7,886.82
		Mileage	2,209.23
		New Equip., Repair & Misc. Expenses	382.97
		Total General Government Expenses	\$32,474.67
		Total General Government	\$1,066,367.34

PUBLIC SAFETY			
Police Department		Fire Department	
Personnel	504,713.93	Personnel	59,601.49
Telephone	4,531.60	Medical Supplies	2,870.83
Cell Phones & Pagers	3,015.10	Protective Clothing	1,548.06
Photo Lab & Supplies	80.90	Personnel Recruitment	92.00
Personnel Recruitment	509.05	Gasoline	2,687.79
Printing	909.23	Diesel/Oil	3,882.94
Dues & Subscriptions	775.00	Extinguishers & O2	1,124.69
Uniforms	4,810.46	Vehicle Repairs & Tires	28,192.46
Replacement Vests	430.00	Dues & Subscriptions	2,960.97
Office Supplies	1,098.44	Tools & Supplies	9,640.80
New Equipment (Office)	39.96	Fire Prevention Supplies	448.12
Postage	663.27	Training & Meetings	5,802.32
Books & Periodicals	364.75	Radio Repairs	4,795.25
Canine Program	689.71	Telephone	3,254.14
Training (Material, Supplies & Prof. Serv.	3,776.00	Electricity	6,605.26
Conferences, Meetings, Mileage & Acc.	4,546.21	Heating Oil & L.P. Gas	6,724.65
SPOTS Terminal	4,500.00	Sewer Fees	248.00
Service Contracts	1,676.64	Postage	120.82
Firearms Training	1,432.90	Insurance Compliance	1,224.00
Data Processing	9,150.95	Building Maintenance	2,518.70
Case Expenditures & Med. Services	987.12	Forest Fires	4,370.52
Equipment Maintenance & Repair	969.25	NS Water & Fire Precinct Hydrant Rental	10,865.00
Radio Repair	655.00	Total Fire Department	\$159,578.81
Vehicle Fuel	21,098.34	Total Public Safety	\$785,770.85
Vehicle Maintenance & Tires	8,929.64		
Department Supplies	1,067.54		
New Equipment	6,336.15		
Janitorial Services	2,625.00		
Electricity	3,841.50		
Heating	2,230.06		
Building Maintenance	3,623.95		
Cruiser Lease	26,114.39		
Total Police Department	\$626,192.04		

OTHER PUBLIC SAFETY			
Special Duty Police/Detail Grants		Regional Prosecutor	
Personnel	24,192.32	Pesonnel	85,900.55
Medicare	350.80	Health, Dental, Life & STD Insurances	16,749.60
Social Security	-	Social Security, Medicare & Retirement	9,536.23
NH Retirement	2,341.82	Workers Compensation & Unemployment	329.25
Workers Compensation	412.53	Communications	3,084.25
Vehicle Support	740.80	Data Processing	1,029.94
Total Special Duty Police	\$28,038.27	Service Contracts	300.00
School Resource Officer		Dues & Subscriptions	630.00
Personnel	39,805.28	Training & Conferences	567.30
Health, Dental, Life & STD Insurances	16,023.24	Office Supplies	1,336.41
Medicare & Retirement	4,430.33	Books, Periodicals & Software	2,031.40
Workers Compensation & Unemployment	688.76	Legal Research Expenses	1,884.00
Communications	1,134.76	Case & Miscellaneous Expenses	535.58
Training & Conferences	327.98	Professional Services	13,703.50
Professional Liability Insurance	975.00	Postage	138.07
Department Supplies, Uniforms & Misc. Expt	3,967.05	Printing	150.90
Total School Resource Officer	\$67,352.40	Total Regional Prosecutor	\$137,906.98
Fire Special Duty		Ambulance Service	
Personnel	10,175.00	Diluzio Ambulance Service	29,000.00
FICA & Medicare	778.39	Total Ambulance Service	\$29,000.00
Worker's Compensation	344.44	Emergency Management	
Total FD Special Duty	\$11,297.83	Personnel	5,600.00
		Telephone	2,635.76
		Electricity	1,245.79
		Heating	743.36
		Building Maintenance	984.01
		Generator Fuel & Repair	301.68
		Food	140.69
		Training & Meetings	758.29
		Dept. Supplies & Expenses, Mileage	1,237.02
		New Equipment	1,789.72
		Radio Upgrade Program	3,204.80
		Total Emergency Management	\$18,641.12
		Total Other Public Safety	\$292,236.60

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS			
Highways, Streets & Bridges		Cemetery & Parks Maintenance	
Personnel	257,481.02	Personnel	37,671.37
Personnel Recruitment	837.06	Cemetery Utilities (inc. phone)	384.39
Phones	2,958.12	Repair of Cemetery Stones/Trees	9,600.00
Outside Labor & Rental, Leased Equip.	22,318.93	Meeting Expenses & Dues	120.00
Professional Services	3,266.20	Cemetery Equipment Repair	3,484.52
Electricity	2,654.86	Cemetery Gas	1,960.50
Heating Fuel	4,224.82	Cemetery Supplies	2,920.71
Building Maintenance	16,876.52	Cemetery Fertilizer	2,600.00
Alarm Maintenance	250.00	New Equipment (Cemeteries & Parks)	20,582.88
Training, Dues & Mileage	729.49	Parks Telephone	1,112.69
CDL Testing	292.00	Parks Electricity	1,945.40
Uniforms	2,908.85	Parks Bldg. & Field Maint. & Supplies	14,876.40
Radio Repair	190.63	Parks Plumbing & Supplies	1,611.04
Asphalt & Cold Patch	159,443.87	Parks Rubbish Removal	2,955.75
Sand, Gravel & Hard Pack	15,275.33	Parks Fertilizer for Fields	1,000.00
Salt & Calcium	64,409.03	Total Cemetery & Parks Maintenance	\$102,825.65
Highway Markings	9,686.26	Street & Bridge Lighting	
Gas	0.00	Street & Bridge Lighting	16,317.48
Diesel & Oil	26,459.52	Blinkers & Bridges	3,274.84
Oxygen & Acetylene	239.33	Total Lighting	\$19,592.32
Vehicle Repairs	12,384.09	Dams	
Tires	3,759.48	Fees & Repairs	1,100.00
Tools, Supplies & New Equipment	14,517.45	Total Dams	\$1,100.00
Culverts	8,511.74	Total Department of Public Works	\$753,342.57
Bridge Repairs	150.00		
Total Highways, Streets & Bridges	\$629,824.60		

SOLID WASTE & SANITATION			
Recycling Center		Sewer Commission - North	
Personnel	117,554.22	Personnel	20,512.05
Refuse Disposal	142,473.68	Social Security, Medicare & Retirement	1,827.32
Equipment Rental	429.32	Workers Compensation	204.57
Hazardous Waste & Ash Disposal	13,650.69	Health, Dental, Life & STD Insurances	2,292.89
Electronics Disposal & Stump Removal	14,162.55	Software Maintenance	1,156.00
Construction & Demolition Disposal	24,886.60	Electricity, L.P. Gas & Phone	12,021.65
Freight	2,866.96	Maintenance	329.50
Electricity & Telephone	3,219.63	Property Insurance	1,300.00
Heating Fuel	644.00	Legal	197.73
Uniforms & Protective Equipment	2,351.12	County Recording Fees & Postage	221.65
Maintenance & Repairs	4,159.49	City of Keene - Treatment	14,087.12
Department Supplies	3,944.40	Miscellaneous Expenses	21,415.77
Miscellaneous	5,101.64	Transfers to Capital Reserve	25,000.00
Training, Education & Dues	1,299.75	Debt Service	64,556.00

Recycling Center (cont.)		North Pass Thru Collection System	15,834.93
New Equipment	3,490.34	Total Sewer Commission - North	180,957.18
Total Recycling Center	\$340,234.39	Total Sewer Commission - All areas	\$341,748.92
Sewer Commission - West		Total Solid Waste & Sanitation	\$501,026.13
Personnel	56,206.60		
Social Security, Medicare & Retirement	5,609.97		
Workers Compensation	593.70		
Health, Dental, Life & STD Insurances	6,878.65		
Software Maintenance	911.00		
Electricity, L.P. Gas & Phone	12,666.32		
Maintenance	3,441.51		
Property Insurance	1,500.00		
Supplies	73.41		
County Recording Fees & Postage	1,291.55		
Testing & Chemicals	3,221.15		
Miscellaneous Expenses	6,302.75		
Tools & Equipment	739.13		
Debt Service	61,356.00		
Total Sewer Commission - West	160,791.74		

HEALTH & WELFARE

Health Officer		Health/General Assistance Agencies	
Personnel	2,632.65	Home Health	16,028.25
Water Tests	392.00	Meals on Wheels	8,665.00
Trainings, Meetings & Postage	30.03	Monadnock Family Services	8,620.00
Mileage	275.01	Community Kitchen	12,500.00
West Nile Program	0.00	Southwest Community Services	5,000.00
Total Health Officer	\$3,329.69	The Samaritans	250.00
Animal Control Operations		Total Health/General Asst. Agencies	\$51,063.25
Contracted Services	6,450.00	General Assistance	
Licensing	785.00	Personnel	16,424.00
Department Supplies	65.28	Medical Services	6,402.91
Total Animal Control Operations	\$7,300.28	Food Vouchers & Clothing	1,585.60
		Electricity	4,717.96
		Heating Fuel	2,865.90
		Housing Assistance	97,512.50
		Postage & Department Supplies	2,078.64
		Total General Assistance	\$131,587.51
		Total Health & Welfare (exc. Carp. SRF)	\$193,280.73

CULTURE, CONSERVATION & RECREATION

Recreation Committee		Libraries, Open Space, Patriot Purposes & Old Home Day	
Summer Program Personnel	17,804.36	Mt. Caesar Union Library	52,611.00
Aquatic Personnel	1,305.38	Stratton Free Library	31,926.70
Strength & Conditioning Personnel	1,650.00	Open Space Committee	2,141.04
Richardson Park Personnel	17,149.74	Memorial Day Observances	1,000.00
Richardson Park Supplies	676.43	Old Home Day	3,735.00
Miscellaneous & Advertising	1,175.58	Total Libraries & et al	\$91,413.74
Summer Program Supplies & Programs	533.08	Total Culture, Conservation & Rec.	\$134,184.38
Aquatic Supplies	213.88		
Winter Sports	1,500.00		
Easter Egg Hunt	730.19		
Halloween & Christmas	32.00		
Total Recreation Committee	\$42,770.64		

Economic Development

Swanzy Rev. Development District	69,332.48
Total Economic Development	\$69,332.48

DEBT SERVICE

North Swanzy Project	139,381.93
Total Debt Service	\$139,381.93

WARRANT ARTICLES, CAPITAL PROJECTS, UNCLASSIFIED & OTHER FUNDS & GOVERNMENTS

Carpenter Home Special Revenue Fund		Capital Projects & Unclassified Expenses	
Carpenter Home Personnel	208,069.96	Quarterly Assessing Data Collection	23,130.00
Health, Dental, Life & STD Insurances	22,079.40	Main Street Land Acquisition	1,553.22
Social Security, Medicare & Retirement	17,985.97	Town Hall Expendable Trust	6,541.75
Workers Compensation & Unemploy.	4,218.20	Land Use Professional Services	12,328.32
Fax, Phone & Pager	2,523.50	Police Facility Improvements	5,646.57
Groceries	25,316.25	PD Leadership Grant	1,300.00
Cable	712.88	Fire Dept. Facility Improvements	6,275.51
Medication Services	3,423.04	Fire Dept. Tools & Equipment	906.22
Nurse Consultant	1,553.74	Homeland Security Grant	3,496.00
Personnel Recruitment	515.93	Pandemic Planning	1,241.56
Public Service	7,835.72	Base Hill/Ash Hill Road Improvements	128,076.10
Heat & Gas for Stove	9,917.11	DPW 6 Wheeled Dump Truck	105,136.00
Alarm Monitoring & Maintenance	2,043.45	FEMA October Floods FEMA DPW	34,276.30
Service Contracts	1,599.78	Mt. Caesar Cemetery Road Improvements	3,066.71
Office Supplies & Postage	854.51	Transfers to 1992 Cemetery Trust Funds	1,075.00
Printing & Advertising	2,223.99	Cemetery Cornerstones	1,100.00
Trainings, Meetings & Mileage	2,152.48	West Street Bridge Project	824.10
Dues & Subscriptions	392.25	NH Route 32 Shared Shoulder	149,460.58
Uniforms	1,150.41	Conservation Land Acquisitions	4,925.00
Household & Cleaning Supplies	5,495.14	Swanzey Revenue Dev. District	215,720.64
Medical Supplies	397.80	North Swanzey Project (inc. Precinct)	500,974.29
Household Replacement	187.87	Conservation Commission Expenses	866.27
Resident Activity Supplies	700.25	Insurance Claims/Retirees Insurance	4,550.28
Miscellaneous Expenses	398.86	Overlay & Abatements (inc. Sewer)	7,556.74
Equipment Maintenance & Repair	1,446.11	Total Unclassified & Capital Projects	\$1,220,027.16
Furniture & Fixtures	125.00	Other Governments	
New Equipment	1,464.13	North Swanzey Water & Fire Precinct	55,451.00
Grounds Maintenance & Improvements	1,727.30	Cheshire County	1,030,210.00
Building Maintenance & Improvements	25,855.57	Monadnock Regional School District	8,333,401.00
Total Carpenter Home Operational Costs	\$352,366.60	Total Other Governments	\$9,419,062.00
Resident Accounts & Medicare	4,948.98	Total Articles, SRF, CR, Capital & Gov't	\$11,574,072.01
Community Integration/Special Care	892.27		
Total Carpenter Home Fund	\$358,207.85		
Capital Reserve Funds & Expendable Trusts			
Transfers to Capital Reserve Funds	302,000.00		
Transfers to Expendable Trusts	274,775.00		
Total CR Funds & Exp. Trusts	\$576,775.00		

**Long Term General Obligation Debt Issued
Town of Swanzev - December 31, 2006**

	Purpose of Indebtedness						Total Payments
Year	North Swanzev Sewer (4.125%)		WS WWTP Upgrade		Revenue District (4.07%)		
	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	
2007	66,570	74,142	37,500	22,365	50,000	17,298	\$267,875
2008	66,570	71,396	37,500	20,874	50,000	15,263	\$261,603
2009	66,570	68,650	37,500	19,383	50,000	13,228	\$255,331
2010	66,570	65,904	37,500	17,892	50,000	11,193	\$249,059
2011	66,570	63,158	37,500	16,401	50,000	9,158	\$242,787
2012	66,570	60,412	37,500	14,910	50,000	7,123	\$236,515
2013	66,570	57,666	37,500	13,419	50,000	5,088	\$230,243
2014	66,570	54,920	37,500	11,928	50,000	3,053	\$223,971
2015	66,570	52,174	37,500	10,437	50,000	1,018	\$217,699
2016	66,570	49,428	37,500	8,946	-	-	\$162,444
2017	66,570	46,682	37,500	7,455	-	-	\$158,207
2018	66,570	43,936	37,500	5,964	-	-	\$153,970
2019	66,570	41,190	37,500	4,473	-	-	\$149,733
2020	66,570	38,444	37,500	2,982	-	-	\$145,496
2021	66,570	35,698	37,500	1,491	-	-	\$141,259
2022	66,570	32,952	-	-	-	-	\$99,522
2023	66,570	30,206	-	-	-	-	\$96,776
2024	66,570	27,460	-	-	-	-	\$94,030
2025	66,570	24,714	-	-	-	-	\$91,284
2026	66,570	21,968	-	-	-	-	\$88,538
2027	66,570	19,222	-	-	-	-	\$85,792
2028	66,570	16,476	-	-	-	-	\$83,046
2029	66,570	13,730	-	-	-	-	\$80,300
2030	66,570	10,984	-	-	-	-	\$77,554
2031	66,570	8,238	-	-	-	-	\$74,808
2032	66,570	5,492	-	-	-	-	\$72,062
2033	66,560	2,746	-	-	-	-	\$69,306
Totals	\$1,797,380	\$1,037,988	\$562,500	\$178,920	\$450,000	\$82,422	\$4,109,210

State Revolving Fund Grant Payment Schedule West Swanzev WWTP Upgrade Project			
Year	Payment	Year	Payment
2007	\$11,973	2014	\$9,886
2008	\$11,675	2015	\$9,587
2009	\$11,377	2016	\$9,289
2010	\$11,078	2017	\$8,991
2011	\$10,780	2018	\$8,693
2012	\$10,482	2019	\$8,395
2013	\$10,184	2020	\$8,096
		2021	\$7,798
Total Aid WS WWTP Upgrade		\$138,100	

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

TOWN OF SWANZEY CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS & EXPENDABLE TRUSTS 2006

Type & Purpose of Fund	Balance 12/31/2005	Contributions 2006	Interest Income 2006	Expenses 2006	Balance 12/31/2006
Capital Reserve Funds					
Town Hall Expansion	81,352.61	-	3,855.55	-	85,208.16
Pres. & Restoration of Documents	3,261.53	-	154.57	-	3,416.10
Insurance Deductible Fund	3,510.16	-	166.35	-	3,676.51
Police Cruisers	10,278.49	-	487.14	-	10,765.63
Future Fire Station	143,286.90	65,000.00	7,062.66	-	215,349.56
Fire Trucks	208,672.39	60,000.00	10,140.57	-	278,812.96
Town Bridges (not covered)	82,929.48	30,000.00	3,837.73	4,832.42	111,934.79
Covered Bridges (restoration/repair)	85,767.79	-	4,064.81	-	89,832.60
Highway & Cemetery Equipment	46,142.94	60,000.00	1,998.08	105,136.00	3,005.02
Town Owned Dams	247,291.23	-	11,719.91	-	259,011.14
Recycling Center Improvements	38,103.36	10,000.00	1,847.67	-	49,951.03
Sewerline Extensions (West)	65,238.94	10,000.00	3,133.71	-	78,372.65
Swanzy Sewer Commission (West)	120,205.61	-	5,696.93	-	125,902.54
Swanzy Sewer Commission (North)	-	25,000.00	44.36	-	25,044.36
Mt. Caesar Union Library	19,037.40	2,000.00	432.53	19,000.00	2,469.93
Recreation Facilities Improvements	41,596.69	15,000.00	2,034.14	-	58,630.83
Conservation Land Acquisitions	40,877.26	50,000.00	2,137.68	4,925.00	88,089.94
N. Swanzy H20 & Fire Lines	142,004.52	4,300.00	5,488.48	33,000.00	118,793.00
N. Swanzy H20 & Fire Equipment	21,966.99	2,000.00	1,044.63	-	25,011.62
Expendable Trust Funds					
Town Hall (Offices)	5,016.46	30,000.00	335.85	6,541.75	28,810.56
Town Hall Computers (IMS)	38,347.78	15,000.00	1,880.14	-	55,227.92
Revaluations & Updates	44,830.27	35,000.00	2,174.28	23,130.00	58,874.55
Police Facilities	10,102.82	5,000.00	476.10	5,646.57	9,932.35
Fire Stations & Related Facilities	5,016.46	5,000.00	232.41	6,275.51	3,973.36
Emergency Services Complex	108.58	-	5.15	-	113.73
Fire Pond Fund	23,399.60	-	1,108.99	-	24,508.59
Fire/Rescue Tools & Equipment	8,091.19	10,000.00	421.50	906.22	17,606.47
Emergency Communications	12,254.84	10,000.00	622.61	-	22,877.45
Emergency Mgt Facilities & Equipment	19,216.02	5,000.00	931.62	-	25,147.64
Rehab. & Reconstruction of Town Roads	119,254.51	145,000.00	5,722.62	128,076.10	141,901.03
Covered Bridges (beautification)	2,362.64	-	108.35	80.00	2,390.99
Public Works Facilities	15,179.38	10,000.00	761.22	-	25,940.60
Cemetery Expansion Fund	29,683.75	2,775.00	1,418.41	-	33,877.16
Whitcomb Hall Rehabilitation	31,905.57	-	1,512.11	-	33,417.68
Carpenter Home	24,190.00	-	1,146.45	-	25,336.45
Stratton Free Library	6,358.32	2,000.00	309.70	-	8,668.02
N. Swanzy Water Rate Fund	49,927.93	25,000.00	2,410.63	-	77,338.56
Slate Bridge Fund	1,073.57	-	50.90	-	1,124.47
Swanzy Historical Cttee	97,359.79	10,000.00	4,633.57	1,000.00	110,993.36
Total Town Funds	\$1,945,203.77	\$643,075.00	\$91,610.11	\$338,549.57	\$2,341,339.31
NH Public Deposit Investment Pool		\$2,341,289.31			
Bank of America		\$46.00			
Cash		\$4.00			
		\$2,341,339.31			

TOWN OF SWANZEY CEMETERY TRUSTS 2006

Income	Balance 1/1/2006	Income	Expense	Balance 12/31/2006
Various Trusts	\$20,789.95	7,939.37	6,409.29	\$22,320.03
Principal	Balance 1/1/2006	New Funds Created	Expense	Balance 12/31/2006
Chubb Corporation	\$840.00			\$840.00
Columbia Government Plus	\$145,962.70			\$147,037.70
Ernest Batchelder		100.00		
Mary Frigo		200.00		
Shelky Miller		200.00		
Samantha Fish		100.00		
Judith Tobin		150.00		
Phillip Lagerberg		100.00		
David Fulford		100.00		
Isabel Burroughs		125.00		
Total Principal Various Trusts	\$146,802.70	\$1,075.00	\$0.00	\$147,877.70
Interest		Principal		
Columbia Government Plus	\$22,320.03	Columbia Government Plus		\$147,037.70
Total Interest 12/31/2006	\$22,320.03	Chubb Corporation 96 Shares		\$840.00
		Total Principal 12/31/2006		\$147,877.70
Total Balance Principal & Income 12/31/2006		\$170,197.73		

MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS & EXPENDABLE TRUSTS 2006

Type & Purpose of Fund	Balance 12/31/2005	Contributions 2006	Interest Income 2006	Expenses 2006	Balance 12/31/2006
Capital Reserve Funds					
MRSD Capital Reserve 1975	734,530.46	169,965.00	42,358.59	-	946,854.05
MRSD Special Education 1995	2,948.96	-	139.41	-	3,088.37
Expendable Trust Funds					
School Bldg Maintenance Fund	61,947.85	60,000.00	1,606.83	62,000.00	61,554.68
School District Special Education Fund	51,623.21	50,000.00	1,330.55	52,000.00	50,953.76
Emergency Notification System Fund	-	12,000.00	29.62	11,938.75	90.87
Scholarship Funds					
Larry Aro Scholarship	13,164.83	-	605.97	500.00	13,270.80
Att. Charles Donahue Scholarship	1,445.99	-	51.94	500.00	997.93
Edward Fairbanks Scholarship	1,218.49	-	51.04	200.00	1,069.53
Eleanor Greatbach Scholarship	12,398.99	-	487.62	3,000.00	9,886.61
Claudier Howard Award	2,014.33	-	91.93	100.00	2,006.26
Barbara Lerandeau Award	2,652.08	-	122.93	75.00	2,700.01
Joseph Webber English Award	3,093.87	-	143.80	75.00	3,162.67
Eleanor West Scholarship	1,878.89	-	83.94	150.00	1,812.83
Total MRSD Funds	\$888,917.95	\$291,965.00	\$47,104.17	\$130,538.75	\$1,097,448.37
NH Public Deposit Investment Pool		\$1,097,398.37			
Bank of America		\$50.00			
Total Funds MRSD 12/31/2006		\$1,097,448.37			

TRUST FUNDS INCOME 2006 - Town of Swanzev & Monadnock Regional School District

Name Of Fund	Income Balance	Income	Expenses	Income Balance
<u>Town of Swanzev</u>	<u>1/1/2006</u>			<u>12/31/2006</u>
J. Edward Bouvier - Carpenter Home	1,069.27	65.58	0.00	1,134.85
Marian T. Brown Fund (Museum)	35,982.13	4,615.26	5,000.00	35,597.39
Charles Carlton Aged & Infirmid	6,149.11	468.01	0.00	6,617.12
Charles Carlton E.S. Community House	569.48	65.58	0.00	635.06
Charles Carlton E.S. Library	1,708.24	196.74	0.00	1,904.98
Charles Carlton Mt. Caesar Cemetery	20,452.22	1,265.29	3,066.71	18,650.80
Lucy Carpenter-Carpenter Home	35,959.15	22,952.25	0.00	58,911.40
Sameul Read-E.S. Community House	20,354.52	7,704.52	0.00	28,059.04
Frank Snow-Cutler School Fund	142.99	210.96	189.83	164.12
Frank Snow-Sidewalk Fund	67,405.70	35,561.46	0.00	102,967.16
Nettie Stone-Pavillion	1,928.36	118.19	0.00	2,046.55
Edna Whitcomb-Carpenter Home	2,962.72	412.80	0.00	3,375.52
Edna Whitcomb-Whitcomb Hall	7,804.86	535.06	0.00	8,339.92
George Whitcomb, Jr.-Carpenter Home	7,562.97	3,233.26	0.00	10,796.23
George Whitcomb, Jr.-Whitcomb Hall	7,415.55	518.73	0.00	7,934.28
<u>Monadnock Regional School District</u>				
Lloyd Scholarship Trust	648.11	956.13	860.41	743.83
The Mark & Sadie Carlton Fund	658.29	5,742.97	0.00	6,401.26
Income Balance	\$218,773.67	\$84,622.79	\$9,116.95	\$294,279.51

Investments of the Trust Funds - Town of Swanzev & Monadnock Regional School District

Number of Shares	Description of Principal Investment	Balance 12/31/2005		Purch./ (Sales) during Year	Total Principal 12/31/2006
		Principal	Capital Gains		
1,400	Gallaher Group PLC Sponsored ADR	5,050.49		-	5,050.49
1,400	Fortune Brands Inc. COM	8,149.83		-	8,149.83
329	Acco Brands Corp.	516.34	7,422.18	(7,938.52)	-
5,100	General Electric Co COM	6,893.50	-	-	6,893.50
1,050	Union Pacific Corp. COM	4,489.85	83,633.94	(88,123.79)	-
2,700	Anadarko Patroleum Corp. COM	7,298.36	-	-	7,298.36
800	Chevron Tecaco Corp. COM	15,999.00	-	-	15,999.00
1,600	Exxon Mobil Corp. COM	5,772.06	-	-	5,772.06
2,080	Bell South Corp. COM	13,733.00	-	-	13,733.00
3,610	AT & T	34,592.15		-	34,592.15
	XCEL Energy Inc. (Proceeds litigation class)	-	25.00	(25.00)	-
2,008	Verizon Communications COM	31,288.00	32,905.78	(64,193.78)	-
800	Consolidated Edison Inc. COM	8,502.48	-	-	8,502.48
900	Wisconsin Energy Corp. COM	4,671.95	-	-	4,671.95
1,727	DNP Select Income FD, Inc	17,212.26	-	-	17,212.26
15,322	Vanguard Total BD Market Index Fd Inv. #84	156,977.27	-	-	156,977.27
10,092	Vanguard Short Tm BD IDX FD Inv. #132	181,535.48	-	(78,290.82)	103,244.66
17,368	Vanguard SNMA Fund Inv. #36	181,500.00	-	-	181,500.00
9,770	Vanguard Short TTM Corp. FD Inv. #39	181,500.00	-	(76,866.02)	104,633.98
3,700	Pfizer, Inc.	100,011.00	-	-	100,011.00
1,990	Bank of America	-	-	99,996.70	99,996.70
12,000	Dodge & Cox Income FD Mutual Fund	-	-	150,000.00	150,000.00
	Columbia Gov. Plus Reserves G Trust Class	16,792.14	-	279,166.46	295,958.60
Total Principal in Common Trust		\$ 982,485.16	\$ 123,986.90	\$213,725.23	\$ 1,320,197.29

SWANZEY REVENUE DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

The Swanze Revenue Development District (SRDD) Advisory Board continued meeting through 2006 as planning and the first phase of the district's infrastructure project continued to move forward. Phase I of Safford Drive establishing an improved roadway and intersection (from Route 32 to Wilson Pond Road) has been completed. The western end of Page Court (at Route 32) will be closed off to vehicular traffic as authorized by voters at Town Meeting 2006.

Preliminary plans and cost estimates for Phase II of Safford Drive (extending it approximately 2,650 feet from Wilson Pond Road to Rte. 12 at the north end of the fairgrounds) have been developed. During 2007, the advisory board will be working with adjacent landowners regarding "right-of-way" acquisitions related to this next phase. Evaluation of the tax increment district's financial position to determine when increment to fund this next phase of work, with an estimated cost of \$1.7 million, will continue.

The Board will continue its activities in 2007 as plans move forward. Anyone wishing further information regarding the district is invited to contact any board member.

Respectfully submitted,
Dave Krisch, Chair

Swanzy Revenue Development District Advisory Board

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Gary Davis
Adrian Pinney

Larry Crowder, Vice-Chair
Glenn Page

Financial Report

Swanzy Revenue Development District (SRDD)

Tax Increment Financing District established 1999 & Expanded 2003

Calculation of Assessed Value for SRDD Increment	
Original Assessed Value (1999 & 2003 Expansion)	6,443,112
Assessed Value of District Tax Year 2006	8,930,576
Assessed Value of District Increment	\$2,487,464
Tax Increment Created Tax Year 2005	53,332
Tax Increment Prior Years	112,584
Increment Expended Tax Year 2006	69,332
Balance of Accumulated Increment 12/31/2006	\$165,916
SRDD Phase I Expenditures 2005 & 2006	
Debt Service Incurred 2005 (Phase I Road & Utilities)	\$500,000
Project expenses paid through 12/31/2006	428,456
Balance Available for Project Expense 12/31/2006	\$71,544

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Our town is thriving. One measure of Swanzeys development is our towns increase in housing. Since 2000, the number of single family homes in Swanzeys has grown by 7%. During the same six years, multi-family units have increased 27%.

As our community expands, so does our need for services. We require more equipment, and more places to put it, and the equipment we have wears out faster. Certain town facilities, like the center fire station and the town garage, now are too small to house modern equipment. Other facilities, like some roads, have simply come to the end of their expected life. Over the years, weve done wonders with patching and making-do, but that cant go on forever.

Big, new projects like these may provoke lively discussion, and they certainly will be costly. However, it would be irresponsible for us to ignore our need for them. In 2005, Swanzeys voters took the first step by creating a Capital Improvements Committee charged with looking at our towns long-term needs for equipment, facilities, services, and their costs.

The Committee consists of Swanzeys residents with a wide range of expertise, and includes representatives from the Board of Selectmen and Planning Board.

Organized in September, so far the Committee has met with department heads to identify predictable major expenses for town highways, fire protection, and recycling. For the Committees purposes, a "major" expense costs more than \$50,000, and relates to an item with a useful life of more than five years.

"Were looking into the future, and its not going to be cheap," says Committee member and former Selectman Bob Beauregard. "Were talking about having to spend many millions of dollars as a town. But doing nothing will cost us even more. So were developing a plan to spread these costs out over a number of years, and making sure we deal with the most important issues first."

Committee members will talk to more departments during the coming months, and hope to call on Swanzeys citizens to help pull the information into a unified plan. The completed Capital Improvement Plan will recommend priorities for future municipal spending. Committee members appreciate the opportunity to contribute to this long-range planning effort, and encourage you to offer ideas and recommendations. The Towns web site, www.town.swanзей.nh.us, posts Committee meeting times and minutes.

Respectfully submitted,
Capital Improvements Program Committee

Robert Pinckney, Chair
Victoria Barlow

Deborah Davis
Robert Beauregard

David Osgood
Larry Crowder

SWANZEY CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Swanze Conservation Commission (SCC) consists of seven regular members and two alternates, all of whom volunteer their time to help maintain or improve the quality of the air, soil, water, plants, animals, and other natural resources of the Town. We meet on the second Tuesday of each month at the Town Hall at 7:00 pm.

Roadside Cleanup: This year was the second Swanze roadside cleanup, conducted on Saturday, April 22. With last year's numbers in brackets for comparison: Eighty (vs 60) volunteers collected 217 (169) bags of trash, including at least 60 (19) bags of recyclables. THANK YOU VERY MUCH to everyone who helped! The date for the **2007 Roadside Cleanup** has been set for **Saturday, April 21** (rain or shine).

Conservation Lands: SCC is also responsible for monitoring those land parcels under the Conservation Land Stewardship Program (CLSP). Conservation lands Honey Hill, Mt. Cresson, Muster Property, and the Swanze Lake dam area were checked and reports submitted to the State. This year the approach to the Muster Property was cleared and parking spaces cleaned. The trail to the Dickenson Forest was opened up and the footbridge repaired. The trail entrance to Mt. Cresson was brushed out to make it more visible. Trash dumping and vandalism sometimes require extensive follow-up. Other town owned properties were also monitored. We continue to work with the Open Space committee, Southwest Regional Planning Commission (SWRPC), and the Monadnock Conservancy (MC) relative to conserving natural areas in the town.

It is still true that very little land in Swanze is reserved for natural open space (1.4% vs an average of 18% in the Monadnock region). Your Conservation Commission thanks YOU very much for your large increase in support for the Conservation Capital Reserve Fund in last year's voting. That is a substantial step to help preserve the Swanze that we know.

Conservation Camp: For many years, the Conservation Commission has offered two scholarships to Swanze residents who would like to attend Conservation Camp. This 4-H camp in the White Mountains runs several one week sessions for campers aged 10-15. Three sessions usually run in late June through mid-July. Activities include hiking, fishing, wildlife studies, and environmental explorations. This year we had one scholarship recipient, Rob LaRiviere. Rob won first place in two shooting competitions! Students interested in applying for this scholarship should write a letter to the Conservation Commission at the Town Hall as early in the year as possible, saying why they would like to attend this camp. Applications should be available by April. This is a small camp and fills up quickly; the sooner the application is filed, the better the chances of getting in.

Other Committees: SCC continues to participate in the Swanze Open Space Committee. Members attend some of the meetings and hearings of the Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment, or Selectmen where environmental matters are involved. Some of the SCC members also participate in meetings of the Bicycle/Pedestrian Committee, one member sits on the SWRPC Natural Resources Committee, and one is a member of the Ashuelot River Local Advisory Committee (ARLAC). Some workshops attended by members were new environmental regulations, environmental permitting, and drinking water source protection.

Permits/Projects: Many permit applications for work in wetlands come before the Commission each year and the State Department of Environmental Services expects our input. In addition, SCC is expected to review all new proposals and ongoing projects with respect to their environmental impacts. The above investigations usually involve site walks. This year again saw proposals for dozens of new housing and commercial units, some with serious associated environmental concerns. A very large gravel removal project is slated for the Matthews Road area. We try very hard to make recommendations that will minimize environmental or ecological damage associated with development proposals.

Complaints/Inquiries: Complaints of alleged environmental violations are also investigated and where appropriate, reported to town and state officials. This function has required hundreds of hours this year alone. Illegal dumping of trash, appliances, and tires along unpaved town roads continues to be a problem. We also endeavor to answer various environment-related questions and concerns from citizens throughout the year.

Other Activities:

- Canoe trip: Our annual trip down the river occurs in early May, with all interested persons invited. You may not even need your own canoe! Watch for publicity in the spring, with numbers to call if you are interested.
- Nature related educational activities: Sessions for the children at Swanze Lake Summer Camp are offered by CC members each year.
- College Scholarship: We offer help for a Swanze resident who is a senior at Monadnock Regional High School and who intends to major in the environmental field at a college of his/her choice.

- Wildlife habitat maps: The town has obtained maps from the NH Fish and Game Department as part of the statewide Wildlife Action Plan designed to keep species off rare species lists.

Thank yous: The Commission offers its special gratitude to Barbara Skuly, who retired from the Commission this year after decades of service, including chair and vice-chair. At a special supper/ceremony in September, we honored Barbara and other long-term former members Jean Blood (our SWRPC Natural Resource Committee delegate), Walt Calkins, and Ruth Pratt for their valuable and faithful service to our town.

Respectfully submitted,
Stephen Stepenuck, Chair

ASHUELOT RIVER LOCAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Ashuelot River Local Advisory Committee (ARLAC) was established in 1994 one year after the Ashuelot River was enrolled into the State Rivers Management and Protection Program. Since then, members, nominated by local municipal officials and appointed by the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Services (DES), have been educated in a broad array of issues associated with the river and its watershed. It is the hope of the Committee to be a resource that works well between the interests and concerns of the citizens in the watershed and State authorities.

The volunteer Ashuelot River Water Quality Monitoring Program, in conjunction with DES Volunteer River Assessment Program (VRAP), is now in its sixth season. Ten sites were sampled along the river's 64 miles from Washington to Hinsdale along with an additional site on South Branch. Analyses were done for temperature, pH, total phosphorus, dissolved oxygen (DO), turbidity, and conductivity with the City of Keene donating lab services. ARLAC members worked with community volunteers, participated in a spring training session that led into a five month effort of sampling once per month from May through September. In November, Stephen Stepenuck presented ARLAC and monitor volunteers with a summary presentation of this year's sampling results. The six years of data are available on at <http://academics.keene.edu/pegglest/AshuelotRiver.htm> or <http://www.des.state.nh.us/wmb/VRAP/>

A second water quality concern is the elevated phosphorus readings, again, mostly south of Keene. This year ARLAC participated in the review of the NPDES permits issued by the US EPA for Keene and West Swanzey Wastewater Treatments Plants. The amount of phosphorus discharged by West Swanzey's will now be regulated. Phosphorus was also added to Keene's discharge limitations, however, at this time, the amount of that limit is not finalized. Winchester was recently re-permitted under a general permit and Hinsdale's permit renewal is scheduled to occur this year.

A regular task for ARLAC is to review and comment on state permit applications within the river corridor that may have potential impacts on the river. This year we submitted comments on projects proposed in Washington, Gilsum, Keene, Swanzey, Winchester, and Hinsdale. Those included three site-specific applications and nine wetland applications.

We continued participation as a member of the NH River Restoration Task Force and continued to support removal of the Homestead Dam. Concerns regarding the stability of the Thompson Covered Bridge are being addressed but continue to delay dam removal plans.

ARLAC's winter hike took place in Hinsdale and Winchester using the rail trails that border the Connecticut and Ashuelot Rivers to obtain a new perspective on the river corridor. Visible from the Fort Hill line is the confluence of the Ashuelot with the Connecticut, and the Ashuelot line offers intermittent views of the river through a wooded corridor.

The committee meets each month on the third Tuesday evening in Keene. The Local Advisory Committee invites citizens and town officials to contact their ARLAC representatives or the Southwest Region Planning Commission for more information.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Skuly, Chair

**2006 Deliberative Session Minutes
Town of Swanze
State of New Hampshire**

Moderator Gus Lerandeau opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Town Clerk, Carol DeRocher was asked to lead the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moderator Lerandeau continued by reading the following:

To the inhabitants of the Town of Swanze in the State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in Town affairs:

FIRST SESSION

You are hereby notified to meet for the First (Deliberative) Session of the annual Town Meeting, to be held at the Monadnock Regional High School Auditorium, Swanze, NH on **Tuesday, the seventh day of February 2006 at seven in the evening (7:00 p.m.)**. The First Deliberative Session will consist of explanation, discussion, debate of articles and will afford those voters who are present the opportunity to propose, debate and adopt amendments to each warrant article, except election of officers and those whose wording is prescribed by State Law (Articles 1, 13 & 14).

SECOND SESSION

You are also notified to meet for the Second Session of the annual Town Meeting on **Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March 2006, at the Christian Life Fellowship Church, 211 Whitcomb Road, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.** to vote by official ballot to elect town officers, to vote by official ballot on warrant articles as they may have been amended at the First Session and those other official ballot questions whose wording is prescribed by State Law.

Article 1 To choose by ballot all necessary town officers including a Selectman, Town Moderator, Town Clerk, Supervisor of the Checklist, a Trustee of the Trust Funds, 2 Board of Adjustment members, 2 Planning Board members, 2 Old Home Day Committee members, a Library Trustee and Sewer Commissioner.

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$ 4,726,385. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$ 4,575,971, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the town or by law or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

After much discussion it was voted in **favor** of including this item on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 3 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 576,775 to be placed in the following expendable trust and capital reserve accounts of the Town:

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Town Hall Improvements	\$30,000	Fire Trucks	\$60,000
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DPW Facility Improvements	\$10,000		
Cemetery Expansion & Layout	\$2,775		
Stratton Free Library	\$2,000		

or take any action thereon. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot after a lengthy discussion with no amendments being made.

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Sewer Commission to establish a capital reserve fund for construction, reconstruction and improvements to collection and treatment infrastructure related to the North Swanzy sewer system and appoint the Sewer Commission as agents to expend the fund, or take any action thereon. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN & SEWER COMMISSIONERS)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the governing body, pursuant to RSA 674:5, to appoint a seven (7) member capital improvement program committee to prepare and amend a recommended program of municipal capital improvement projects projected over a period of at least 6 years, or take any action thereon. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,525 to fund activities of the Open Space Committee established as a result of the recommendations contained in the "Plan for the Protection of Open Space" adopted in 2004, or take any action thereon. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 7 To see if the town will vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Board of Selectmen and the Teamsters Local 633, Swanzy Police Officers which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing level:

Contract	Estimated
<u>Year</u>	<u>Increase</u>
2006	\$ 18,386

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2007	\$ 18,934

and further raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 16,795 for the current calendar year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increases in salaries and benefits over those appropriations at current staffing levels paid in the prior calendar year. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 18,000 to hire and equip an additional police officer beginning in September 2006, or take any action thereon. If approved by voters, the full annual cost of this position estimated at \$55,000 will be included in the town's operating budget in 2007. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 30,000 to fund weekday daytime fire department coverage beginning in the fall of 2006 and designate this appropriation as non-lapsing pursuant to RSA 32:7, VI until December 31, 2007, or take any action thereon. *Note: This article is designated by Selectmen as a special warrant article and provides six months of funding for a trial period of weekday daytime fire coverage beginning in the fall of 2006 through March 2007.* (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

This Article was amended to read as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$0 to fund weekday daytime fire department coverage beginning in the fall of 2006 and designate this appropriation as non-lapsing pursuant to RSA 32:7, VI until December 31, 2007, or take any action thereon. The amendment passed with a standing vote of 82 Yes and 14 No.

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot as amended.

Article 10 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 50,000 to reduce the risk of scour to the Thompson Covered Bridge, or take any action thereon. *Note: Engineers report that river water action is causing scour which undermines the bridge's center pier and abutments. Removal of the dam and impoundment, dropping the water depth at the covered bridge from an estimated 7 ½ feet to less than 2 ½ feet, increases its susceptibility to scour. Initial cost estimates to install scour countermeasures are \$ 500,000. Some possible methods to reduce the scour risk to the Thompson Covered Bridge include foundation reconstruction, streambed and embankment armoring, installation of a rock ramp preserving the impoundment or development of additional structural support for the bridge mitigating need for its center pier.* (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept a deed transferring (acquiring) ownership of and responsibility for reconstruction and future maintenance of the Homestead Woolen Mill Dam, so-called, impounding the Ashuelot River in the Village of West Swanzey immediately south of the Thompson Covered Bridge, or take any action thereon. *Note: The Homestead Woolen Mill Dam Final Feasibility Study estimates the cost of required reconstruction of the*

dam, with inclusion of fish passage, between \$1,065,000 and \$1,907,276. (NOT RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 12 To see if the Town will vote to reclassify as a Class B Trail, subject to public trail use restrictions to be established by the Selectmen, a portion of Page Court approximately 50 feet in length extending easterly from its intersection with NH Route 32 to a turnaround area to be provided by 234 Old Homestead Realty LLC, such reclassification to be effective upon the completion and final acceptance by Selectmen of an improved intersection with NH Route 32 at Safford Drive now under construction to the south of the existing Page Court intersection, or take any action thereon. The existing sewer pipes, drains, water pipes or other utilities easements over and through the reclassified section of Page Court and the existing right of way interest of the town in this section shall remain in effect. (RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN)

It was voted in **favor** of including this Article on the Second Session Ballot with no amendments being made.

Article 13 To vote by ballot on the following question submitted by petition:
"Shall we rescind the provisions of RSA 40:13 (known as SB 2), as adopted by the Town of Swanzeay on March 8, 2005, so that the official ballot will no longer be used for voting on all questions, but only for the election of officers and certain other questions for which the official ballot is required by state law?"

Note: The wording of this article is prescribed by statute and not subject to amendment at the deliberative session. (3/5's majority required)

Moderator Lerandeau read this Article and explained that it had to be on the Second Session Ballot due to State Statute.

After a voice vote, Moderator Lerandeau waived the reading of the following Articles as they have to be on the Second Session Ballot and adjourned the meeting at 10:00 p.m.

Article 14 To vote by ballot on the following seven (7) amendments to the Swanzeay Zoning Ordinance proposed by the Planning Board and one amendment proposed by petition:

Note: The wording of these zoning questions is prescribed by statute. Neither the text of the amendments nor the wording of these ballot questions are subject to amendment at the town deliberative session.

The full text of the 8 zoning amendments proposed and corresponding official ballot questions is included in the record reporting the Results of Voting on March 14, 2006.

Article 15 To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting, or take any action thereon.

No other business was brought before the voters at this meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol A. DeRocher, Town Clerk

**2006 Results of Voting Held 03-14-2006
Town of Swanze
State of New Hampshire**

SECOND SESSION

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Town Moderator:	Alfred "Gus" Lerandeau	696
	Richard Scaramelli	252
Selectman:	Robert A. Beauregard	337
	James G. Brisson	62
	David B. Osgood	192
	Bruce L. Tatro	359
Town Clerk:	Deirdre "Dee" A. Geer	486
	Warren W. Loock	446
Supervisor of the Checklist:	Ruth C. Snyder	940
Trustee of Trust Funds:	Frederic J. Peters	865
Old Home Day Committee for Three Years:	Scattered write-ins	
Old Home Day Committee for One Year:	Carol A. Roof	845
Board of Adjustment Member:	Jennifer Gregory	680
	Keith Thibault	569
Planning Board Member:	Victoria Barlow	489
	Charles R. Beauregard Sr.	490
	Scott Lambert	227
	Stephen B. Russell	384
Library Trustee:	Arthur Boufford	483
	Robert J. Kenney	414
Sewer Commissioner:	William J. Snyder	891

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Yes 755

No 251

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No 280

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Yes 686

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Yes 491

No 527

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Yes 358

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Yes 716

No 295

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Yes 149

No 862

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Yes 781

No 210

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Yes 415

No 586

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Amendment No. 1: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

1. Delete the following:

"Section IX Flood Plain Development Ordinance (Amended March 10, 1987)

The following regulations shall apply to all lands designated as special flood hazard areas by the Federal Emergency Management Agency in its 'Flood Insurance Study for the Town of Swanzeý, New Hampshire' together with the associated Flood Insurance Rate Maps and Flood Boundary and Floodway maps of the Town of Swanzeý, dated May 5, 1981, which are declared to be part of this ordinance."

Replace with the following:

"Section IX Flood Plain Development Ordinance

The following regulations in this ordinance shall apply to all lands designated as special flood hazard areas by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in its 'Flood Insurance Study for the County of Cheshire, NH' (preliminary) dated September 30, 2004 to be superseded by the study dated May 23, 2006 or as amended, together with the associated Flood Insurance Rate Maps (preliminary) dated September 30, 2004 to be superseded by the maps dated May 23, 2006 or as amended, which are declared to be part of this ordinance and are hereby incorporated by reference."

2. Amend the following definitions to read as follows:

Area of special flood hazard is the land in the flood plain within the Town of Swanzeý subject to a 1 percent or greater chance of flooding in any given year. The area is designated as Zone [A, AE] on the Flood Insurance Rate Map.

Development means any man-made change to improved or unimproved real estate, including but not limited to buildings or other structures, mining, dredging, filling, grading, paving, excavation or drilling operations or storage of equipment or materials. (Note: This definition appears in the opening paragraph of Section IX, Flood Plain District Regulations and Item I, Definitions, of the Flood Plain Development Regulations.)

Manufactured home means a structure, transportable in one or more sections, which is built on a permanent chassis and is designed for use with or without a permanent foundation when attached to the required utilities. For floodplain management purposes the term "manufactured home" includes park trailers, travel trailers, and other similar vehicles placed on site for greater than 180 consecutive days. This includes manufactured homes located in a manufactured home park or subdivision.

Regulatory floodway means the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved in order to discharge the base flood without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than a designated height.

Start of Construction includes substantial improvement, and means the date the building permit was issued provided the actual start of construction, repair, reconstruction, rehabilitation, addition placement, or other improvement was within 180 days of the permit date. The actual start means either the first placement of permanent construction of a structure on a site, such as the pouring of slab or footings, the installation of piles, the construction of columns, or any work beyond the stage of excavation; or the placement of a manufactured home on a foundation. Permanent construction does not include land preparation, such as clearing, grading and filling; nor does it include the installation of streets and/or walkways; nor does it include excavation for a basement, footings, piers, or foundations or the erection of temporary forms; nor does it include the installation on the property of accessory buildings, such as garages or sheds not occupied as dwelling units or not part of the main structure.

Substantial improvement means any combination of repairs, reconstruction, alteration, or improvements to a structure in which the cumulative cost equals or exceeds fifty percent of the market value of the structure. The market value of the structure should equal:

- (a) the appraised value prior to the start of the initial repair or improvement, or
- (b) in the case of damage, the value of the structure prior to the damage occurring.

For the purposes of this definition, "substantial improvement" is considered to occur when the first alteration of any wall, ceiling, floor, or other structural part of the building commences, whether or not that alteration affects the external dimensions of the structure. This term includes structures which have incurred substantial damage, regardless of actual repair work performed. The term does not, however, include any project for improvement of a structure required to comply with existing health, sanitary, or safety code specifications which are solely necessary to assure safe living conditions or any alteration of a "historic structure", provided that the alteration will not preclude the structure's continued designation as a "historic structure".

3. Add the following definitions:

Manufactured home park or subdivision means a parcel (or contiguous parcels) of land divided into two or more manufactured home lots for rent or sale.

Violation means the failure of a structure or other development to be fully compliant with the community's flood plain management regulations. A structure or other development without the elevation certificate, other certifications, or other evidence of compliance required in 44CFR § 60.3(b)(5), (c)(4), (c)(10), (d)(3), (e)(2), (e)(4), or (e)(5) is presumed to be in violation until such time as that documentation is provided.

4. Delete the following definitions:

Breakaway Wall

Flood Boundary and Floodway Map

5. Amend the 4th paragraph in Section IX, Item VII to read as follows:

Until a Regulatory Floodway is designated along watercourses, no new construction, substantial improvements, or other development (including fill) shall be permitted within zone AE on the FIRM, unless it is demonstrated by the applicant that the cumulative effect of the proposed development, when combined with all existing and anticipated development, will not increase the water surface elevation of the base flood more than one foot at any point within the community.

Yes 704

No 259

Amendment No. 2: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

Amend the zoning map of the Town of Swanzezy dated September 1, 1947, as amended, to show property known as Tax Map 58, Lot 47 (currently owned by Tory W. Frazier, known as 28 South Grove Street, consisting of 2.7 acres, more or less) as being in the Village Business District.

Yes 656

No 272

Amendment No. 3: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

Amend Section III, Item V to read as follows:

"During construction or rehabilitation of any permanent structure, the Board of Selectmen may permit the temporary occupancy of a manufactured housing unit or recreational vehicle on any lot in any district for a period not to exceed six (6) months, provided the manufactured housing unit meets all other requirements of this ordinance. Such temporary permit shall automatically expire six (6) months after issuance.

Yes 667

No 318

Amendment No. 4: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

Amend Section II. Zoning Districts and Zoning Maps A. Districts 1.Rural/Agricultural District to read as follows:

"1. Rural/Agricultural District. This district is designed to accommodate residences and agricultural uses in what is commonly recognized as being a rural atmosphere. The property included within this district will generally be agriculture and forestry, low-density housing, open space protection, water supply protection, and recreation. This district is the potential future growth area for the town and is carefully controlled with monitoring, planning and re-zoning to prevent scattered and premature development."

Yes 699

No 270

Amendment No. 5: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

1. Delete from Section XIII Definitions the following definition:
BOCA Code or BOCA National Building Code.

2. Amend Section III-A Swanze Building Regulations by adding a new item as follows:
III-A.9. Installation of New Septic Systems. New septic systems may not be installed until a building permit for a structure to be served by the new septic system has been issued by the Town of Swanze.

Yes 685

No 280

Amendment No. 6: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 6 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

1. Amend the zoning map of the Town of Swanze dated September 1, 1947, as amended, to show property known as Tax Map 87, Lot 2 that is currently located in the Business Zoning District (currently owned by Pine Grove MHP Cooperative, Inc.) as being in the Residence District.

Yes 639

No 281

Amendment No. 7: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 7 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

Add new Section III.Y. as follows:

Y. RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, TENTS AND HOMEMADE SHELTERS

No occupied recreational vehicle, tent or homemade shelter shall be permitted to be placed on any lot for a period of more than fourteen (14) consecutive days. Occupied recreational vehicles, tents and homemade shelters that have been on a property for fourteen (14) consecutive days must be removed from the property for at least twenty-eight (28) consecutive days before re-occupying the same

property. This provision does not apply to commercial campgrounds approved by the Swanze Planning Board or to the provisions of Section III.V. Temporary Manufactured Housing Permits.

Add Definitions to Section XIII as follows:

Tent: A portable shelter consisting of canvas, skins or nylon type material stretched over poles.

Homemade Shelter: A rudimentary structure intended for protection from the elements. Typically built in a hap-hazard way and not to any construction standard.

Recreational Vehicle: A vehicle which is built on (i) a single chassis; (ii) 400 square feet or less when measured at the largest horizontal projection; (iii) designed to be self-propelled or permanently towable by a light duty truck; and (iv) designed primarily not for use as a permanent dwelling but as temporary living quarters for recreational, camping, travel, or seasonal use.

Yes 584

No 396

Amendment No. 8: Are you in favor of Amendment No. 8 as proposed by petition for the Town Zoning Ordinance:

In Section IV.A.2. (uses permitted by Special Exception in the Rural/Agricultural District) **delete** Item IV.A.2.c. that currently reads as follows:

IV.A.2.c. Multi-family dwelling(s). The density requirement for a multi-family dwelling(s) shall be three (3) acres for the first two dwelling units and one half (1/2) acre for each additional dwelling unit, unless connected to public sewer. The density requirement for a multi-family dwelling(s) connected to public sewer shall be three (3) ac- s. Note: The Planning Board does not support approval of this amendment.

Yes 546

No 441

Respectfully submitted,

Carol A. DeRocher, Town Clerk

BIRTHS - 2006

<u>Date</u>	<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mother</u>
01-09-06	Trey Austin Caron	Nicholas Caron	Amanda Amadon
01-15-06	Jerramiah K. Fowler	Jonathan Lake	Casey Fowler
01-17-06	Brady Owen LeClair	Daniel LeClair	Megan LeClair
01-25-06	Morgan Elizabeth Bourassa	Seth Bourassa	Kathryn Bourassa
02-03-06	Lucas Allen French	Bryan French	Christina Hill
02-10-06	Emma Naomi Roberts	James Michael	Jessica Allen
02-13-06	Jason Douglas Robinson	Jeremy Robinson	Allison Robinson
02-16-06	Brady John Wood	Kenneth Wood	Jennifer Wood
02-18-06	Deeanna Shay Nicol	Elijah Nicol	Shana-Dawn Squires
02-21-06	Dominic Jon Raymond	Robby Raymond	Laura Raymond
02-08-06	Courtney Mae Savola	Marc Savola	Deanna Blake
03-06-06	Martin Jerome Cardine	Andrew Cardine	Elizabeth Cardine
03-16-06	Regan Kathleen Kidney	Erik Kidney	Elizabeth Kidney
03-21-06	Adrianna Catherine Shedd Ellis	George Ellis	Lisa Ellis
03-28-06	Cora Elizabeth Will	David Will	Angela Will
03-28-06	Clive Maynard Meier	Devon Meier	Robin Frasier
04-06-06	Benjamin Donald Dean	Kevin Dean	Heather Dean
04-10-06	Tenison Allen Favreau	Keith Hitchcock	Wendi Favreau
04-17-06	Quinn Adrianna Ells	Devin Ells	Kate Ells
05-08-06	Wanda Renee Smith	Douglas Smith	Catherine Smith
05-09-06	Sarah Jean Marie Bleau	Chad Bleau	Elysia Bingham
05-10-06	Jason Hammond Wilbur	Jason Wilbur	Angela Wilbur
05-11-06	Gregory Allan Yang	Zongmin Yang	Marina Chernova
05-19-06	Tanner Michael Ayotte	Ronald Ayotte	Amie Ayotte
05-23-06	Nickolas Jay Larson	William Larson	Larissa Larson
05-28-06	Zachary Vincent Piccolo	Christian Piccolo	Christina-Lee Pagelsdorf
05-31-06	Mason Daniel Ringus	Jesse Ringus	Jillian Pratt
06-01-06	Abram Chad Lounder	Chad Lounder	Kristy Lounder
06-04-06	Bella Charlotte St. Jean	John St. Jean	Bridgette St. Jean
06-15-06	Brayden Alexander Russell	Kevin Russell	Dawn Russell
06-15-06	Sara May Dafeldecker	Kai-Uwe Dafeldecker	Jennifer Dafeldecker
06-27-06	Olivia Therese Sutton	James Sutton	Lillian Sutton
07-01-06	Annalese Pauline Patrick	Claude Patrick	Justina Patrick
07-05-06	Aerianna Leigh Jones	Donald Jones	Brandi Hobbs
07-15-06	Hayden Joseph Murphy	Sean Murphy	Amy Murphy
08-02-06	Mariah Grace Hagland	Craig Hagland	Jessica Hanson
08-09-06	Leila Jannette Gonzalez	Marlon Gonzalez	Jodie Gonzalez
08-30-06	Maddison Marie Pratt	Toby Pratt	Amy Pratt
09-03-06	Trinity Mia Millay	Raymie Millay	Angela Millay
09-13-06	Kaushik Sankar	Sankar Selvaraj	Indhu Jyothi Ramalingam
09-18-06	Jedidiah Timothy Nelson	Timothy Nelson	Sally Nelson
10-01-06	Brayden Austin White	Ronald White	Kelby Anderson
10-10-06	Hayden O'Reilly Paquette	Matthew Paquette	Stephanie Alexander
10-12-06	Adrianna Bri Condon	Jonathan Condon	Caroline Hall
10-13-06	Brock Michael White	Michael White	Jaime White
10-24-06	Shae Lynn Coll	Steven Coll	Kelly Coll
10-25-06	Owen Michael Kelly	Timothy Kelly	Stephanie Kelly
10-27-06	Damian Matthew Ellis	Jonathan Ellis	Meghan Bowers
10-28-06	Savannah Renee Rice	Daniel Rice	Teresa Duncan
10-31-06	William James McCarthy	Daniel McCarthy	Nicole Morin

BIRTHS - 2006

<u>Date</u>	<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mother</u>
11-04-06	Sean Patrick Callahan	Christopher Callahan	Janet Callahan
11-13-06	Lenina Sara Ayala	Victor Ayala	Samantha Ayala
11-14-06	Jakob Anthony Calkins	Robert Calkins	Vanessa Calkins
11-14-06	Aidan Kevin Mooney	Glenn Mooney	Jenifer Rainville
11-24-06	Katelyn May Clark	Stephen Clark	Kristy Clark
11-27-06	Gabrielle Ann Derosier	Alton Derosier	Amanda Lagerberg
12-04-06	Veronica Grace Prescott	Alexander Prescott	Wendy Prescott
12-08-06	Phoebe Louise Lagerberg	Derrick Lagerberg	Cindi Majoy
12-10-06	Josiah Thomas Diego Bednar	Andrew Bednar	Dorothy Bednar
12-13-06	Kaylee Jade McDaniels	Jeromie McDaniels	Jennifer McDaniels
12-15-06	Bree Dina Lee Devarney	Jody Devarney	Krista Haimila-Devarney
12-17-06	Chase David Elliott	Samuel Elliott	Colleen Elliott
12-21-06	Logan Walker Bashaw	David Bashaw	Marsha Custodio
12-28-06	Kaleigh Ann Dear	Jeremy Dear	Crystal Fish
12-28-06	Emily Lena Belval	Mark Belval	Nicole Belval
12-31-06	Aidan Joseph Gilbeau	Joshua Gilbeau	Amanda Gilbeau
12-31-06	Julian William Gilbeau	Joshua Gilbeau	Amanda Gilbeau

MARRIAGES - 2006

<u>Date</u>	<u>Place of Marriage</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Residence</u>
01-01-06	Keene, NH	Keith A. Hitchcock	Swanzey, NH
		Diane M. Nuzzo	Keene, NH
01-02-06	Swanzey, NH	Steven W. Myers	Keene, NH
		Linda B. Dignitti	Swanzey, NH
01-14-06	Swanzey, NH	Larry F. Koch	Swanzey, NH
		Nicole L. Hastings	Swanzey, NH
02-07-06	Swanzey, NH	Allen L. Cooke	Swanzey, NH
		Jana L. Goodell	Swanzey, NH
02-25-06	Fitzwilliam, NH	Allen S. Roby	N. Swanzey, NH
		Linda L. Goodell	N. Swanzey, NH
03-11-06	Keene, NH	Robbie J. Hobbs	Swanzey, NH
		Amanda R. Serpico	Swanzey, NH
04-08-06	Swanzey, NH	Charles L. Stevens	Swanzey, NH
		Peitra J. Stebbins	Swanzey, NH
04-29-06	Swanzey, NH	Richard A. LaHue	N. Swanzey, NH
		Donna J. Hartwell	N. Swanzey, NH
05-20-06	Surry, NH	Paul Giardinello	Keene, NH
		Kathryn F. Bergeron	Swanzey, NH
05-20-06	Swanzey, NH	Ronald F. Johnson	Swanzey, NH
		Amy R. Fisher	Swanzey, NH
05-28-06	Keene, NH	Wayne E. LaCoste	Swanzey, NH
		Angela T. DeMone	Swanzey, NH
06-03-06	Troy, NH	James M. Pearsall	N. Swanzey, NH
		Jaime M. Blake	N. Swanzey, NH
06-04-06	Swanzey, NH	George P. Kovacs	Swanzey, NH
		Sherrie L. Kovacs	Swanzey, NH
06-10-06	Swanzey, NH	Charles F. Rocheleau	Swanzey, NH
		Heather J. Skrocki	Swanzey, NH
06-24-06	Rindge, NH	Michael A. LeBlanc	Swanzey, NH
		Kristen J. Martin	Swanzey, NH
06-24-06	Keene, NH	Joshua E. Tenney	Swanzey, NH
		Sarah G. Doyle	Swanzey, NH
07-02-06	Rindge, NH	Joseph E. Smith	Swanzey, NH
		Beth W. Poulin	Swanzey, NH
07-08-06	Lebanon, NH	Ezekiel S. Jakub	Grafton, NH
		Jenifer E. Gilbert	Swanzey, NH
07-21-06	Swanzey, NH	William O. Mitchell	Swanzey, NH
		Carla M. Kent	Swanzey, NH
07-28-06	Winchester, NH	Michael A. Sault	N. Swanzey, NH
		Jemema M. Apog	N. Swanzey, NH
08-05-06	Swanzey, NH	Dennis R. Johnston	Swanzey, NH
		Pamela A. Bourassa	Keene, NH
08-12-06	Swanzey, NH	Brian B. Bohannon	Swanzey, NH
		Kimberly J. Sheaff	Swanzey, NH
08-12-06	Keene, NH	Douglas W. Lehr	Keene, NH
		Amy L. Greene	Swanzey, NH
08-12-06	Swanzey, NH	William F. Stetson	Swanzey, NH
		Kathleen A. Pardini	Attleboro, MA
08-16-06	Swanzey, NH	Stanley E. Ballou	Orange, MA
		Marlene M. Naranjo	N. Swanzey, NH

MARRIAGES - 2006

<u>Date</u>	<u>Place of Marriage</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Residence</u>
08-19-06	Swanzey, NH	Donald A. Jones	Swanzey, NH
08-19-06	Keene, NH	Brandi L. Hobbs	Swanzey, NH
08-23-06	Keene, NH	Bradley G. Miller	Swanzey, NH
		Christine Rice	Swanzey, NH
		Vladimir B. Knorr	Swanzey, NH
08-26-06	Surry, NH	Elena Sergeeva	Swanzey, NH
		Jeffrey S. Armstrong	Swanzey, NH
		Penny S. Frazer	Swanzey, NH
08-26-06	Swanzey, NH	Francis L. Clark	Swanzey, NH
		Lorenda G. Boyd	Swanzey, NH
09-02-06	Keene, NH	Patrick B. Simpson	Swanzey, NH
		Aimee J. Holmes	Swanzey, NH
09-02-06	Surry, NH	Kevin L. Jefts	Swanzey, NH
		Holly M. Lane	Keene, NH
09-02-06	Keene, NH	Eric R. Kerylow	Swanzey, NH
		Emily J. Thieme	Swanzey, NH
09-16-06	Swanzey, NH	Richard L. Robinson	Swanzey, NH
		Susan E. Wood	Swanzey, NH
09-29-06	Laconia, NH	Joseph A. Bourassa	Swanzey, NH
		Arlene M. Deem	Swanzey, NH
09-30-06	Swanzey, NH	Narayan S. Pillai	Swanzey, NH
		Nandranie Robella	Swanzey, NH
10-07-06	Keene, NH	Christopher P. Powers	Riverside, RI
		Sundee K. Potter	Swanzey, NH
10-08-06	Rindge, NH	Timothy J. Joyal	Swanzey, NH
		Jessica G. Pierson	Swanzey, NH
10-08-06	Jaffrey, NH	Shaun C. Walsh	N. Swanzey, NH
		Christine M. Coppolo	N. Swanzey, NH
10-14-06	Surry, NH	Michael J. Sullivan	Swanzey, NH
		Ashley Y. LaPointe	Swanzey, NH
10-14-06	Swanzey, NH	Anthony D. Biron	Swanzey, NH
		Ruth A. DiFonzo	Swanzey, NH
10-14-06	Swanzey, NH	Bruce K. Descoteaux	Swanzey, NH
		Nancy K. Ojala	Swanzey, NH
10-14-06	Swanzey, NH	Joshua E. Edgecomb	Keene, NH
		Hannah R. Fletcher	N. Swanzey, NH
10-21-06	Rindge, NH	Tyler J. Carrier	Swanzey, NH
		Kimberly L. Raymond	Swanzey, NH
10-28-06	Swanzey, NH	Thomas D. Chandler	Swanzey, NH
		Jamie L. Jayne	Swanzey, NH
12-29-06	Swanzey, NH	Scot C. Alexander	Swanzey, NH
		Jody L. Issod	Swanzey, NH

DEATHS - 2006

<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Father's Name</u>	<u>Mother's Name</u>
01-02-06	Westmoreland, NH	Robert Larsen-Sorterup	Arthur Larsen-Sorterup	Gladys Green
01-07-06	Keene, NH	Paul Richards	Carroll Richards	Anna Lee
01-10-06	Keene, NH	Chester Bradbury	Ernest Bradbury	Abbie Porter
01-11-06	Keene, NH	Marion Fred	George Moore	Inez Burke
01-11-06	Keene, NH	David Packard	Vinter Packard	Helen Holmes
01-13-06	Westmoreland, NH	Katherine Whittemore	Harlan Nourse	Hazel Rice
01-18-06	Keene, NH	Frances Esteves	Edward Goodell	Kathryn Rancourt
01-20-06	Swanzey, NH	Leland Willard	Henry Willard	Mildred Thompson
01-22-06	Swanzey, NH	Katherine Mowbray	Herbert Anthony	Marguerite Mitchell
01-30-06	Keene, NH	Blanche Trudelle	Unknown	Unknown
02-02-06	Keene, NH	William Collins	John Collins	Mary Herb
02-08-06	Swanzey, NH	Cecil Pillai	Albert Pillai	Menachi Subryan
02-13-06	Keene, NH	James Holmes	Arlan Holmes	Martha Reynolds
02-19-06	Swanzey, NH	Francis Phillips	Salvio Phillips	Irene Craverio
02-23-06	Keene, NH	Henry Johnson	Carl Johnson	Harriet Haroldson
02-28-06	Keene, NH	Raymond Brett	Adolphus Brett	Winifred Luff
03-02-06	Keene, NH	Emile Pelletier	Pierre Pelletier	(Unknown) Grandmaison
03-03-06	Keene, NH	Karen Frazier	Clayton Maylin	Dorothy Kingsbury
03-12-06	Keene, NH	Michael Bell	Carl Bell	Patricia Shea
04-03-06	Keene, NH	E. Goodell	Charles Ballou	Ebba Larson
04-03-06	Swanzey, NH	Amy Partner	Charles Rust	Lois Bradshaw
04-10-06	Keene, NH	Charles Robbins	Charles Robbins	Sheila Castor
04-14-06	Lebanon, NH	Elizabeth Armstrong	Harry Mac Kechnie	Elizabeth Ostrom
04-15-06	Keene, NH	Morgan Wright	Ray Wright	Abby Crane
04-17-06	Keene, NH	Darlene Troccia	Allen Scribner	Katherine Whitney
04-20-06	Swanzey, NH	Stephen Kominicki	Luka Kominicki	Paranka Mysku
04-28-06	Roxbury, NH	Jeanette Marrotte	Edwin Lockhart	Pearl Devarney
05-03-06	Swanzey, NH	Blanche Lane	William Durland	Blanche Ramsdell
05-09-06	Lebanon, NH	Fay Wood	Fay Wood	Phyllis Welcome
05-23-06	Lebanon, NH	David Frink	Frederick Frink	Josephine Poreda
05-25-06	Swanzey, NH	Joe Frigo	Joe Frigo	Nettie Griffis
05-29-06	Keene, NH	Evelyn Knapp	Victor Carlson	Ebba Brandquist
05-31-06	Keene, NH	Charlotte Beauregard	William Chapman	Julia Fay
06-09-06	Swanzey, NH	Alma Riley	Antonio Candello	Rose Barcomb
06-19-06	Swanzey, NH	Marion Derby	Arthur Ballou	Glendeen Bosworth
06-23-06	Westmoreland, NH	Florence Rice	Joseph Snow	(Unknown) Popple
07-02-06	Swanzey, NH	Chester Nason	Luther Nason	Lucy Lyons
07-13-06	Keene, NH	Gerald Nye	Charles Nye	Edna Knott
07-23-06	Keene, NH	Robert LaBelle	William LaBelle	Lillian Bardwell
08-09-06	Swanzey, NH	Lawrence Sicotte	Lawrence Sicotte	Edith Stacey
08-09-06	Keene, NH	Lawrence Fish	William Fish	Anna Cote
08-27-06	Swanzey, NH	Louis Richards	Louis Richards	Marie Peltier
09-03-06	Westmoreland, NH	Alice Lariviere	Charles Cullinane	Anna O'Connor
09-07-06	Lebanon, NH	Pauline Dugan	John Barwicki	Helen Damulewicz
09-15-06	Keene, NH	Shirlee Ford	William LaRoche	Bertha (Unknown)
09-26-06	Swanzey, NH	Virginia Leonard	Clesson Leonard	Winifred Pitman
10-14-06	Swanzey, NH	Josephine Russell	Gabriel Marrone	Rose (Unknown)
10-22-06	Keene, NH	Philip Lagerberg	Ralph Lagerberg	Lena LaBounty
11-04-06	Keene, NH	Warren Fisher	Warren Fisher	Alice Waldron
11-10-06	Keene, NH	Elizabeth Wallace	Edgar Parker	Grace Mansfield
11-11-06	Keene, NH	Eugene Cuomo	Anthony Cuomo	Ida Mareca
11-12-06	Keene, NH	Marion Parry	Merfyn Parry	Erica Audrey Lamb
11-12-06	Unity, NH	John Phillips	Charles Phillips	Elizabeth Newton
12-06-06	Keene, NH	Edward Harmon	Edward Harmon	Bertha Van Tol
12-09-06	Winchester, NH	Mona Currie	Lewis Brown	Sherbie Markey
12-24-06	Keene, NH	Harry Burroughs	Robert Burroughs	Ina Dinsmore
12-28-06	Keene, NH	Robert Karlson	Erland Karlson	Ellen Rahm

BROUGHT IN FOR BURIAL – 2006

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
04-01-06	Kyler James Earle	
04-10-06	Mary Elizabeth Streeter	85
04-12-06	Floris J. Batchelder	89
05-05-06	Arvo Matti Johnson	92
05-11-06	Thomas Duchesneau	61
05-12-06	Pauline Rosemont Healey	69
05-15-06	Esther M. Duchesneau	
06-07-06	Edith Vida Poland	74
06-24-06	Marcia Twitchell	45
06-26-06	William Lane Shaw	74
07-01-06	Judy Sikernitsky	
07-22-06	Ruth Mason Lavigne	90
07-22-06	Beatrice Ellen Sebert	68
08-01-06	Grace E. Allen	
08-17-06	Joyce M. Channel	67
08-29-06	Aline W. Parker	
09-04-06	Russell P. Clark	80
09-19-06	Alexander Bruder, Jr.	
09-20-06	David Lee Fulford	59
09-28-06	Francis H. Spears	
10-23-06	Mary E. Bennett	77
10-25-06	Virginia Lathrop French	91
10-31-06	Jason A. Fish	
11-13-06	Harold Herman Lewis, Jr.	70



Racing on Wilson Pond in winter of 1939

